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Spartan's Spark Spirit

School
10 windows a glass sphere, and a gate
A thought process so unique
But yet very common
Begins as stimulated legs drive one home
Mixed emotions are plenty
And mannequins more vividly - the room is
not
Large. However, one
Mind can fit snuggly into its confinements.
Hair is at a surplus today.

Wheels are balanced
And feet are colored. No one stops, never.
It murmers like me, there is a likeness
Perhaps a sharing.
One tunnel guides all, more walls are
Opened and quantities are separated always
By a very large leader.
Start here, go there, finish it out, unlock
Your mind and put it anywhere.
Paul R. Brant

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1978-1979

We, the students of Martin Luther, have always been blessed by the Lord. He has given us a well-trained and caring faculty, beautiful facilities, generous parents, and most importantly a close fellowship with one another. The school's 1978-1979 theme, "In Love Helping Each Other", is so true of the student body here at M.L. We can experience a closeness, a warmth when walking down the halls.

"But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship one with another, and the blood of Jesus Christ his Son cleanseth us from all sin." I John 1:7. This passage explains the whole atmosphere at Martin Luther.

The 1979 Phalanx Staff would like to lead you through the memories of the past year, and help to build your present. To do this, we have presented the Martin Luther Phalanx as a newspaper, to headline the past school year. For we are the creators of the future news.

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studying

Freshmen have an encounter with Scoblic, the library skills primer.

Stairs, the library, buses, or even a classroom. What do they all have in common? They're used, if infrequently, as studying areas.

Studying, that most dreaded of all school activities, is put off until Monday morning, 7:55 anyday of the week, anytime but ..... NOW!!! The best excuses for avoiding it are: "I'm tired." "My boy/girl friend is coming over." "Aunt Nancy is coming over." "I just have to see this week's 'Charlie's Angels'." All or any excuses to ignore the problem.

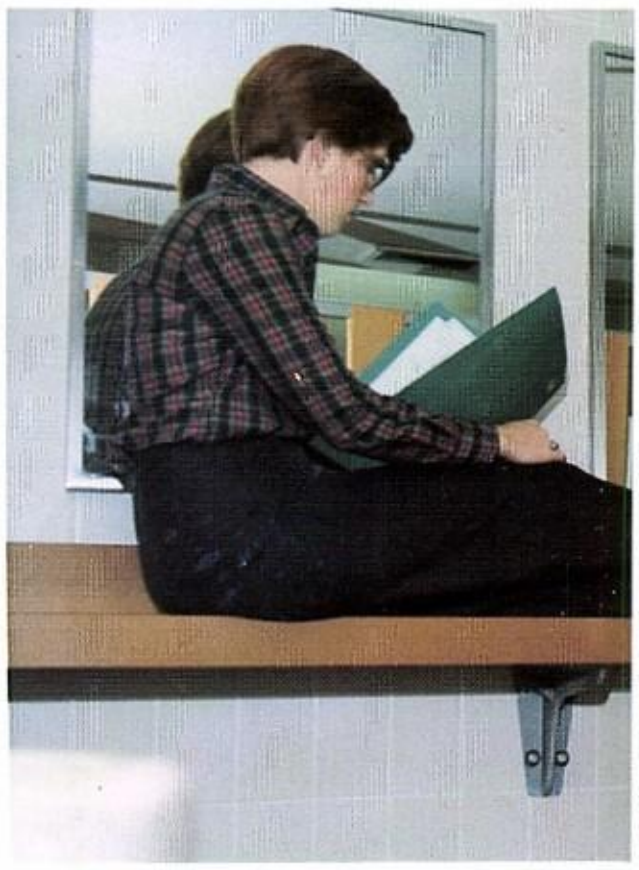
Of course, that problem never goes away. Try as you might, the test comes and you're stuck! It's incredible that so much knowledge can be crammed so fast into such a small container.

Freshmen are fairly new at cramming, Sophomores a bit more poised in their endeavors. By Junior year, pros have been developed and for Seniors, cramming is simply a way of life.

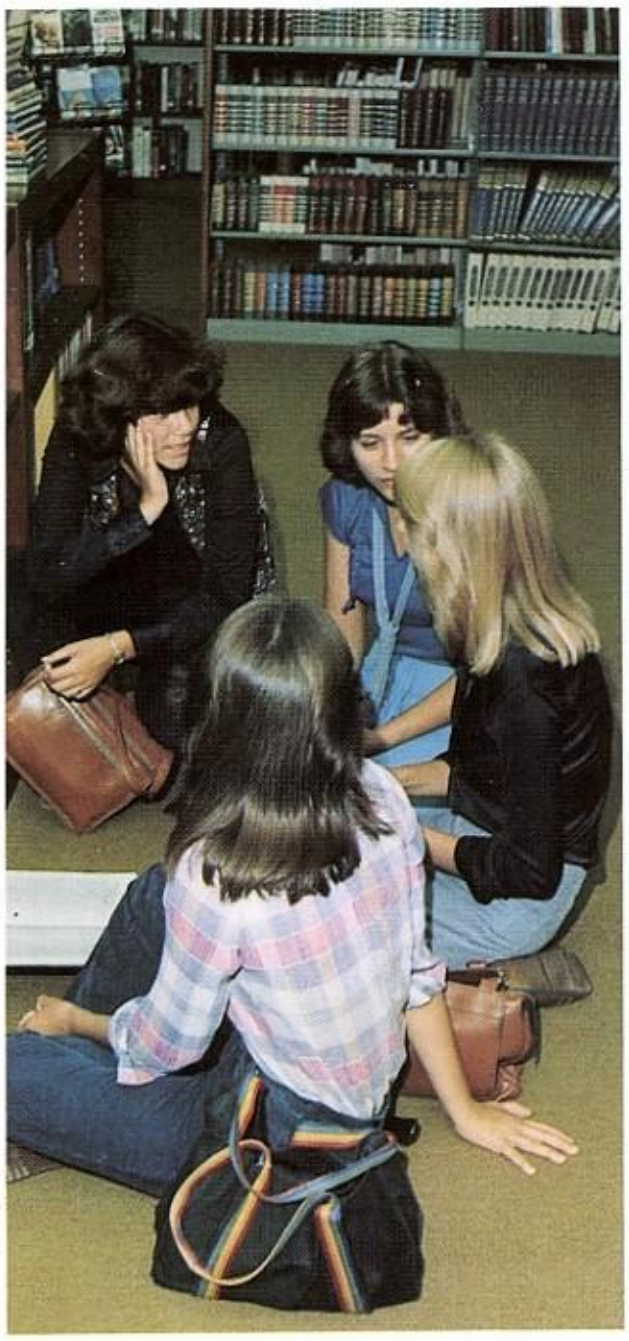
But back to the matter at hand, study places. They can tend to get a bit rowdy after a while, over crowded, but most often tedious! On occasion, studying in some places can turn into an amorous adventure (with a little planning, of course).

Still there is much to be said for really utilizing Martin Luther's facilities. It's nice to pass or do well on a test, getting homework done helps a lot, but most of all studying gives you something to do during a free period!

Kami Maronn during an easy lesson.

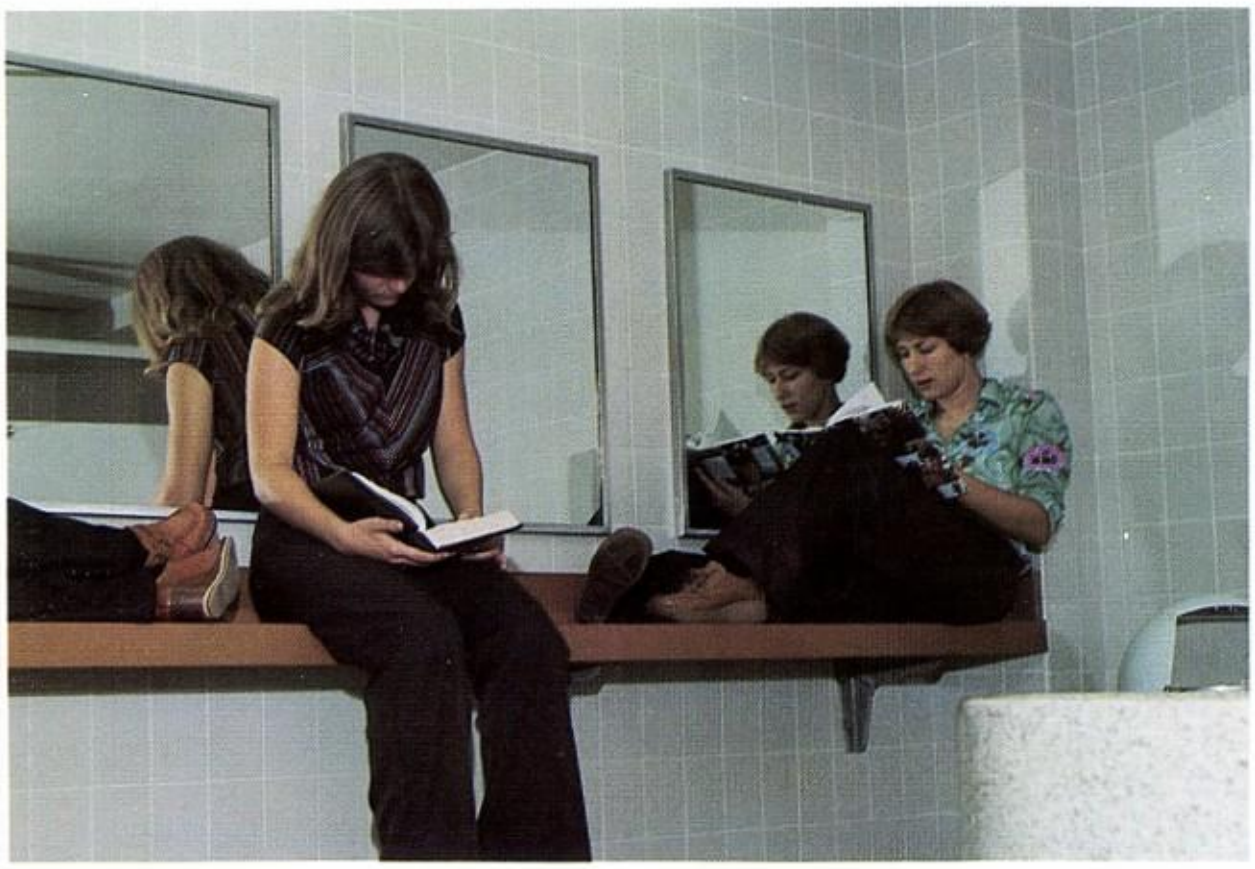


Any Time, Any Place, Or Anywhere



Gals discussing ''philosophy''.

Deep thoughts by Julie Harrison.



A group of girls decided to study in a quiet, empty room; they found the bathroom to be the ideal place.

''I like them, because I never get enough time to finish all of my homework'', stated junior, Kelly Salo about study halls. She holds the opinion of many students at Martin Luther who have to utilize their study hall.

We often only consider the students' views on this subject. Teachers are also involved with our study halls. They convert their time and energy into supervision during one of their free periods. Mrs. Shannon said, ''I think study halls are worthwhile, if a student uses the time wisely. Two-thirds of the students are glad that the study halls are kept quiet so they can use the time to their best advantage.''

A Little Bit For Everybody

Jan Barndt, Sue Hanson, and Dan Kanitz are relaxing at Southridge on a Saturday afternoon.

Students attend a matinee performance at the Pabst Theater.

What really is a weekend used for? Why do we have them? Dee Adler was asked to respond to these questions. This was her response. "I like to break away and get my thoughts together and enjoy my free time. You feel relieved when it comes because you're not at school and you can share this time off with someone. One thing is for sure, school really makes you appreciate what free time we get for ourselves."

MUSIC-Dan Kanitz feels its total relaxation.

To Steve Dehnke, Beth Stach and Sheri Stach; food is a large part of a weekend.

Friday: 2:59.56 p.m., 2:59.57, 2:59.58, 2:59.59 ... 3:00!!!!

Is there life after school? You bet there is!

The Indians have been let loose. Pupils who've sat in classes all day with glazed eyes come to life and find a voice! The decibel level in a hall is incredible.

After an exhausting week in school, adrenalin begins to pump again for both students and teachers. It's amazing how quickly a locker can be opened, it contents evaluated, chosen, and slammed. But the true achievement for any given Friday afternoon is the speed with which the car can be reached, gotten into, started and departed in! Three minutes or less is considered competitive. For teachers, around a quarter of an hour is good.

Activities in a random weekend can range from work, to sporting events, to housecleaning for your mother. It's a challenge to see how much more tired one can be at the end of a weekend than at the beginning. Those two days that end and begin the week often require more planning than a presidential dinner for 200.

The indoor sports, such as pool, are very popular for entertainment.

The best part of a weekend is no school. Students can't wait to get home.

Parents also enter into the choreography of a weekend. Their care, feeding and softening requires work and dedication. Thinking up new ways to get out of the house is tough. Parents are not dumb; therefore, new and innovative explanations must be found. This can be difficult; however, it can be done with a little imagination.

Weekends: they're glorious, confusing, fun and absolutely, positively necessary for the sanity of the student body.

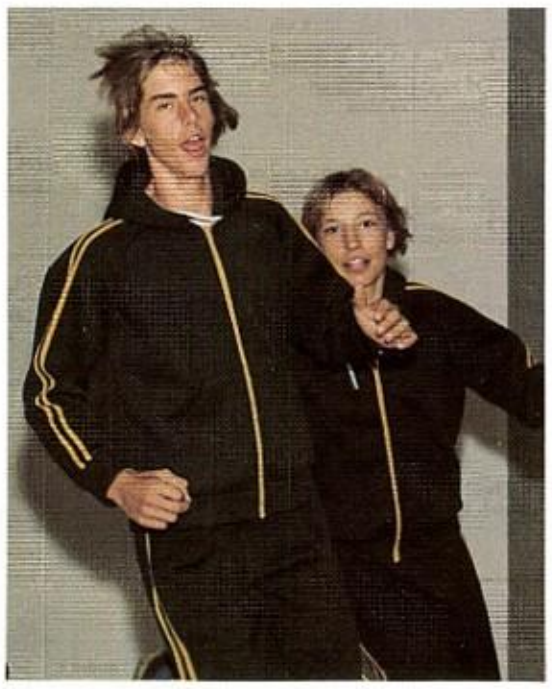
resting

Behold the mighty athlete! He springs forth from pain, blood, and (most of all) sweat. Training, straining and hopefully obtaining that sought after goal: VICTORY!!!

Whether the athlete be a he or a she, you can bet training is the least favorite part of the sport. Training, conditioning the body for the "final event", is often long, arduous and very boring. Lifting weights and running stairs, not to mention basic drills, can be painful!

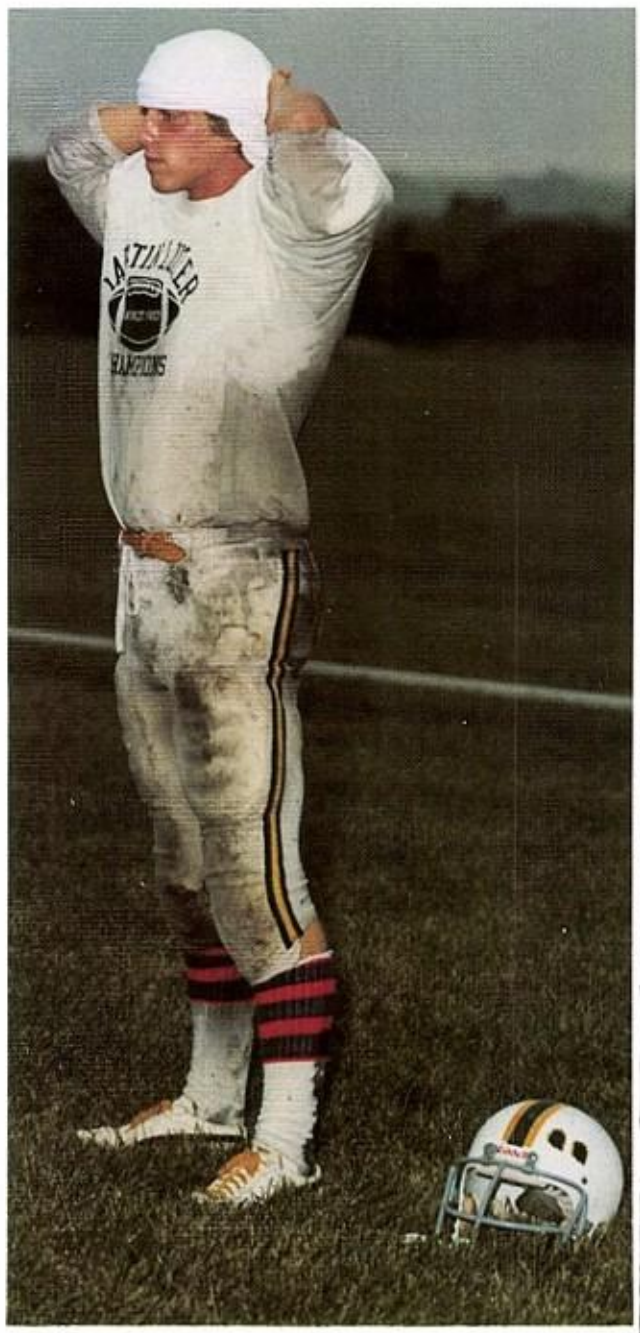
But is there anything so revitalizing as scoring for the first time, breaking a tie, or saving the game? Nothing feels as good as honest exhaustion after a hard practice, in which you learned something. Nor is there a feeling comparable to using new plays that work. No matter how much you hate the work, the rewards are exhilarating!

The Varsity Pom Pons squad practices one of their unique and spirit rousing routines.

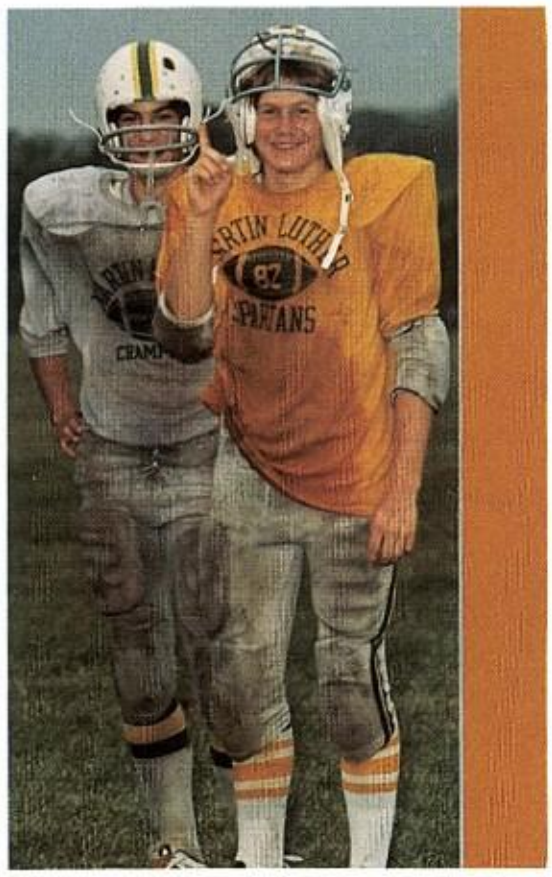


Cross country players doing laps.

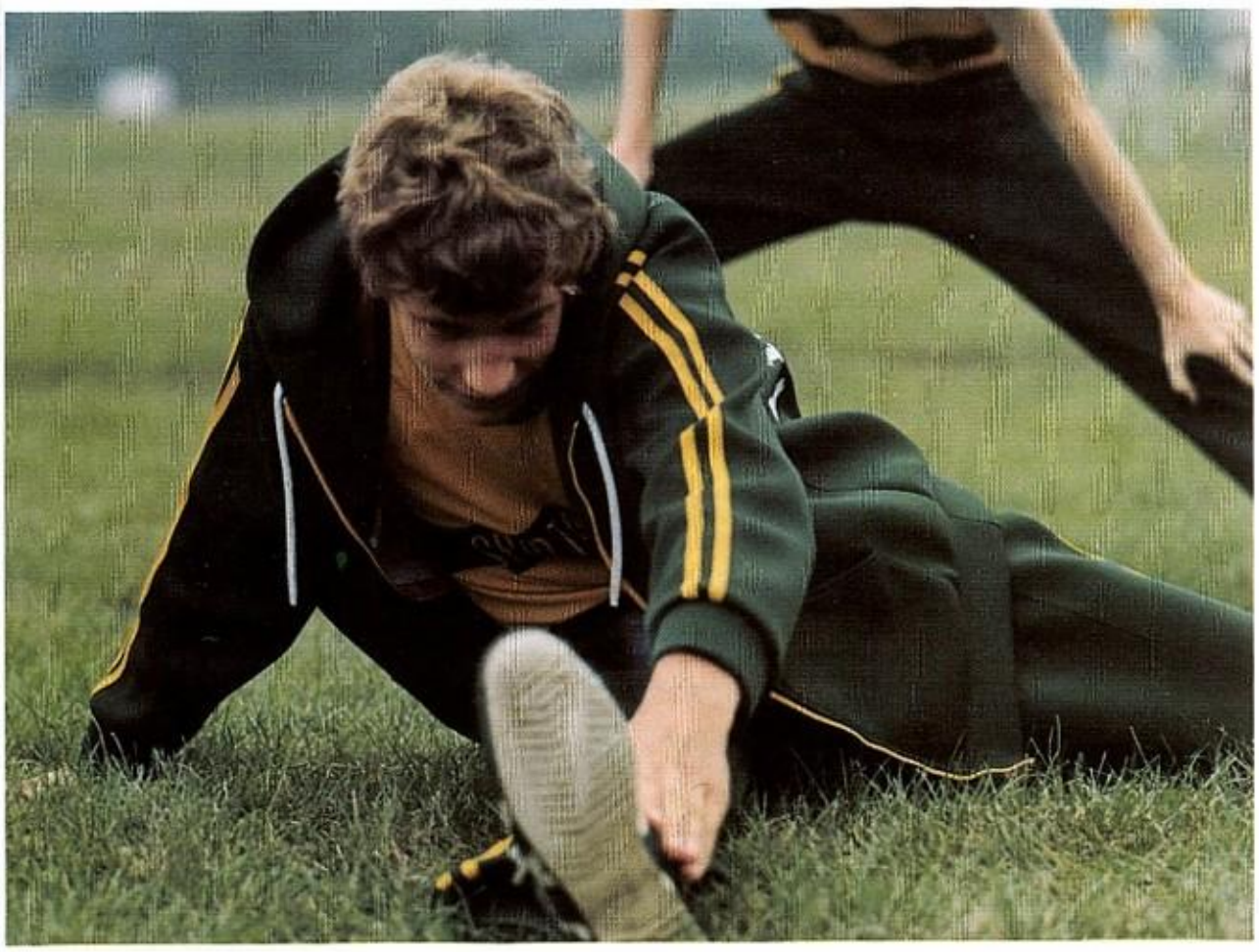
Straining And Obtaining.



Jim Povlick as the "shiek".



Don Smith feels we're the no. 1 team.

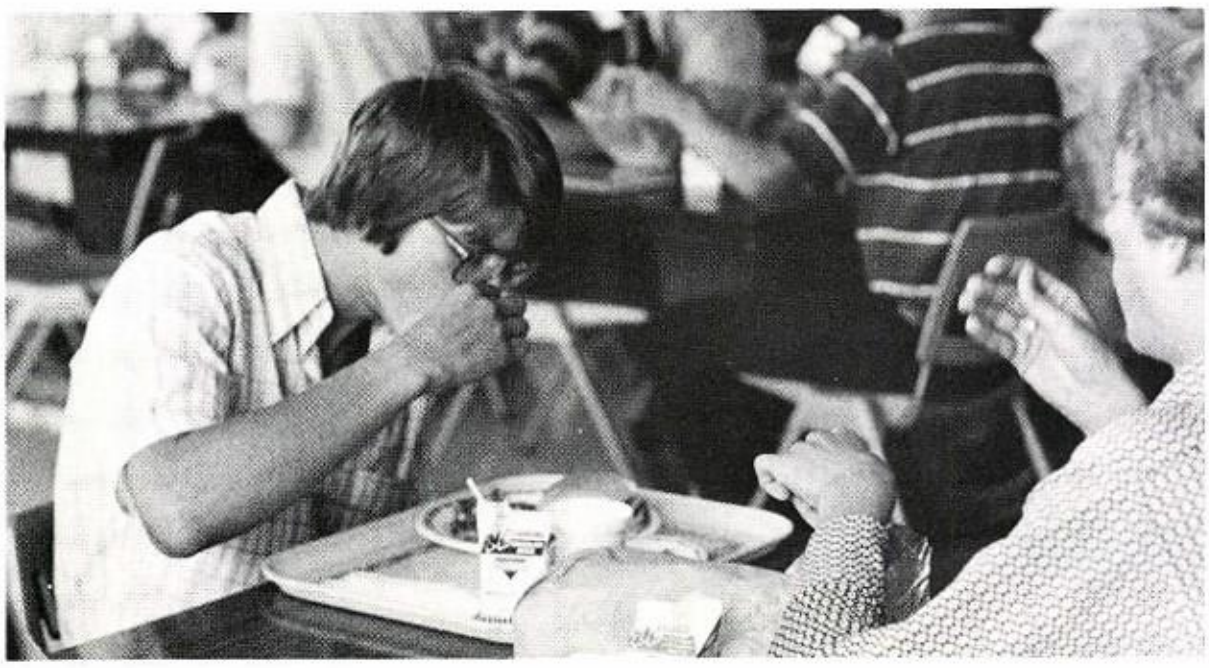


In all sports, one must do the warm-up exercises, the cross country team exhibits.

training

When we asked Dwayne Mittag his feelings about training and the rules and regulations, which go hand and hand with all sports, we got this response. "I think it's more fun to break a few of the rules than to keep them. Of course, some are all right. Maybe the reason why we have so many rules is to keep the team in line. That way the coaches know who's sincere about participating."

eating



Dave Krubsack devours a hot lunch, without even saying a word.

Lunch is also the time to talk.

The Martin Luther Cafeteria: Where else can you go for applause after breaking a dish or dropping a tray?

What other eating and drinking establishments have a maitre 'd who has gone through four years of training?

The bell rings: IT'S LUNCH TIME! ! ! Cafeteria helpers brace themselves for a rush. Teachers station themselves at safe, discrete but strategic vantage points. The Mongols have arrived.

"Chocolate or White?"
"Fish or BBQ?"
"French or Thousand Island on your salad?"
"Pizzaburger or Spaghetti?"

These are the standard lines spoken constantly on any given day, any week from September through May.

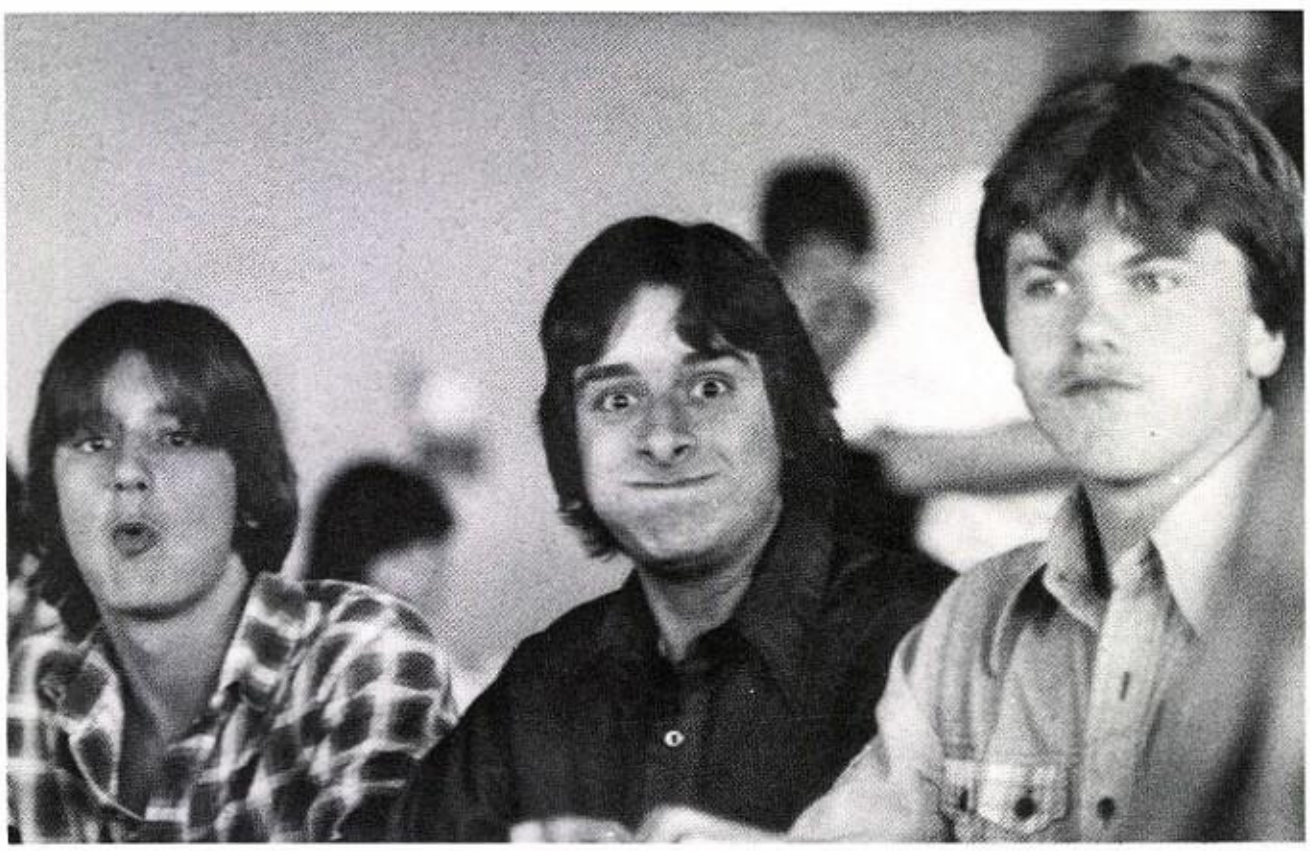
The (lunch) line is a hassle to the helpers and the tables always crowded; but, BOY are those meals tasty at the end of a long morning.

Students help in the serving of the food.

Mrs. Kossow preparing a lunch.

Mrs. Spitzer was asked to comment on her feelings towards preparing the school lunch. This is what she had to say. ''This is not a one man project. I have well-trained co-workers. We really do enjoy what we do very much.'' She feels that the students don't make preparing the food a job, but a pleasure.

The lunch line which to many never seems to end when your hungry.



The Three Stooges return as Mark Harr, Jay Schaefer, and Chuck Dulde.

Munch, Chew And More Talk

Friends Make It Worthwhile

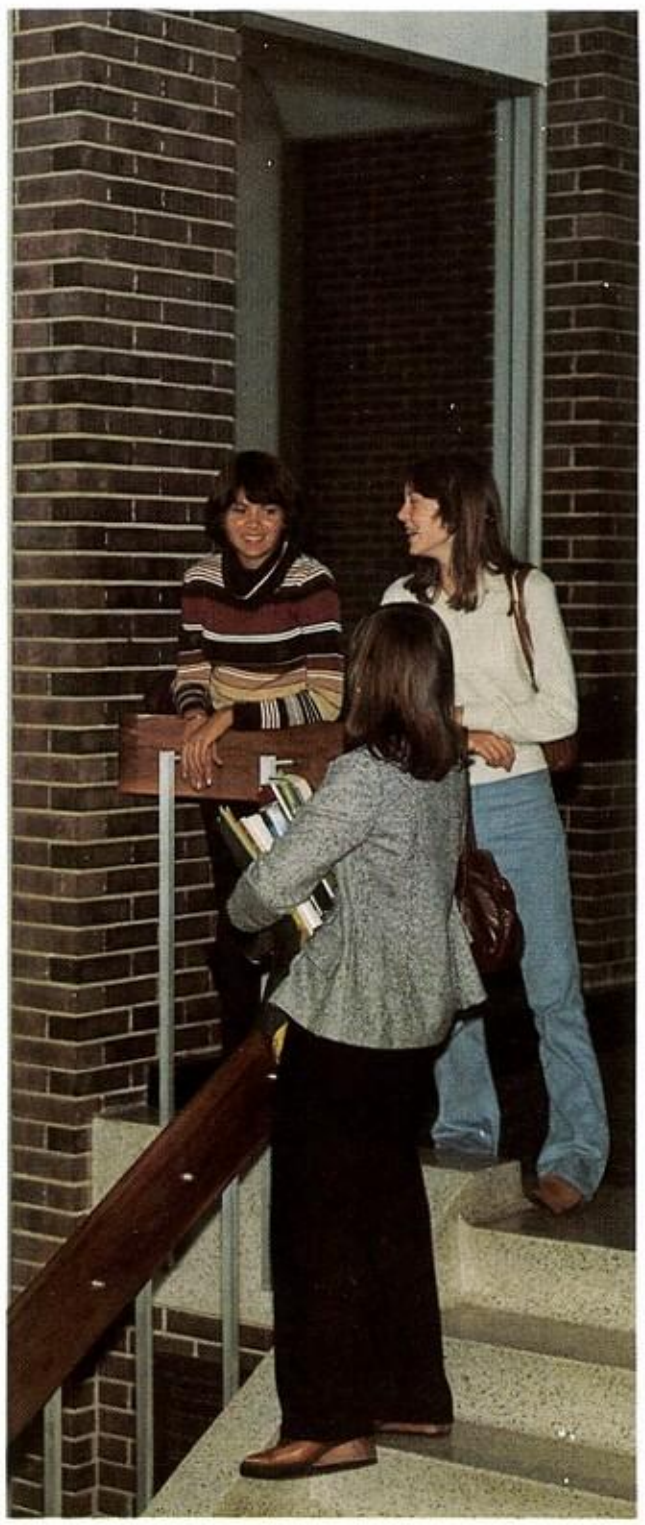
Faculty members mixing up a long lasting friendship.

Talking after school.

"You have a lot in common, hobbies, personalities, basically fun. You can have someone to talk, joke and even cry with. To me that is what a true friendship is," states Jeff Jagusch. We all have a little different idea what friends are, but we can always count on them being there. No one really knows what builds a close friendship. Fun, failure, good times, sad times, a friend will always be there, but most of all they will care.

Relating one to another.

Teen-age idol.



Gals talking while waiting for a ride.

Football buddies after a long practice.

What can be said about friends. It seems that songs and stories have covered the subject exhaustively. But have they? What is a real friend?

A friend: listens to problems,
talks and advises on everything
and everybody;
picks you back up after a fall
and helps to ''unbruise'' your
ego.

A friend does all these things, but mostly a friend cares as much as you care about them!

Sitting in the hot sun while watching a game.

relating

morning

Up?! Which way is up?

If only the week could start on Tuesday!

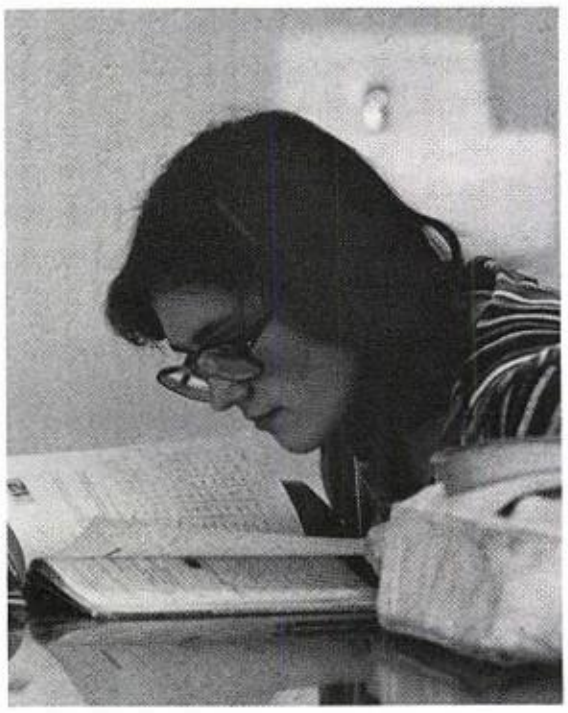
Mondays: your socks don't match, the dog ate your big essay and your gym clothes are nowhere to be found.

Mondays: you missed the bus, forgot your book and you were late to 1st hour.

Thinking processes must begin again, but the brain is in neutral while the body is in reverse. It's probably the worst recurring nightmare within human experience. The weekend may have been terrific, but Monday dawns anew!

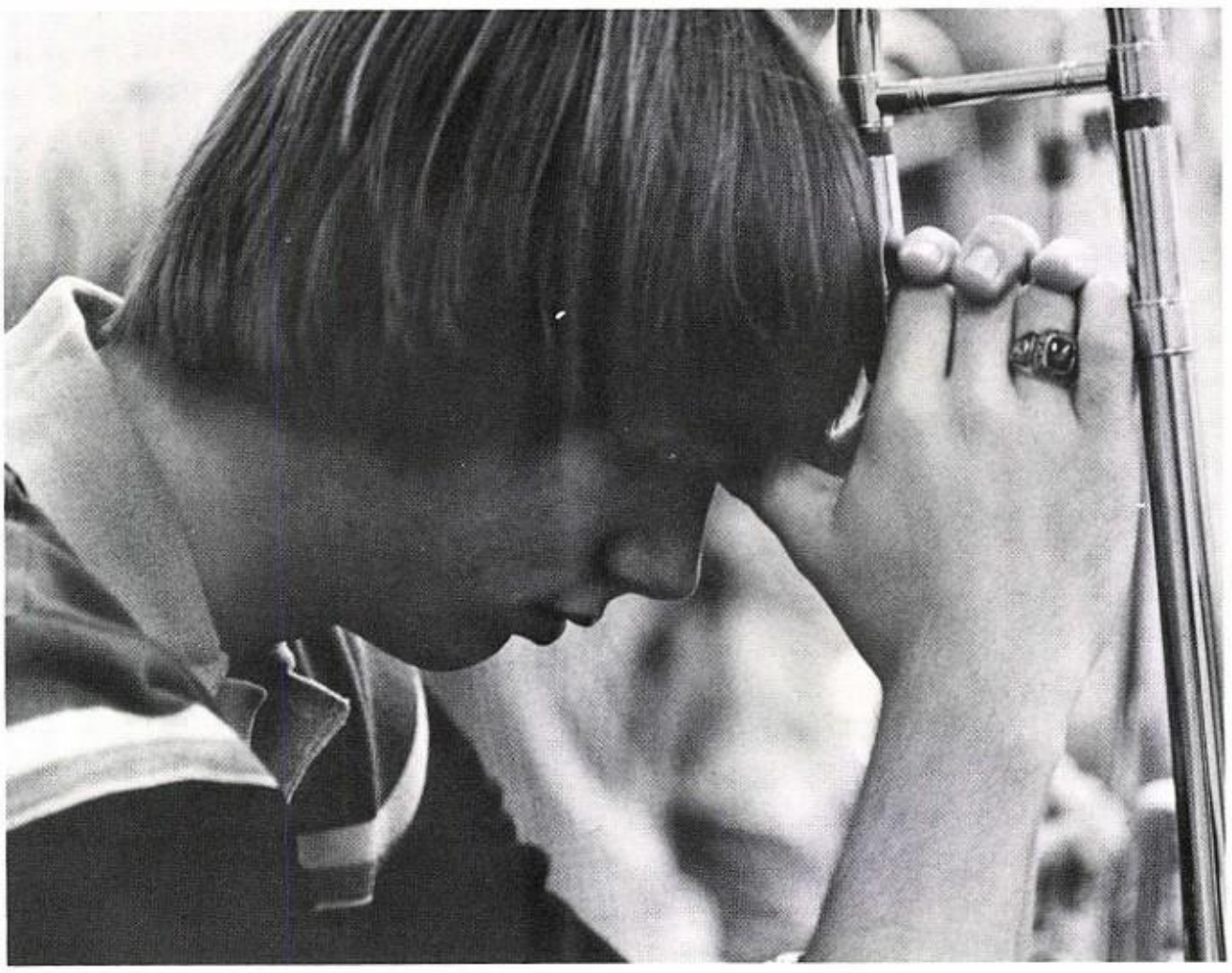
Probably the worst thing about Mondays is that it leads to Tuesday; Tuesday to Wednesday; Wednesday to Thursday; Thursday finally to Friday, and then the weekend. But it takes so long to get here and it's so short. Why is it that the two days of a weekend are so much shorter than the 48 hours of a school week?

When you think about it we need Monday. Without it what would we have to blame for all our problems at the beginning of the week.

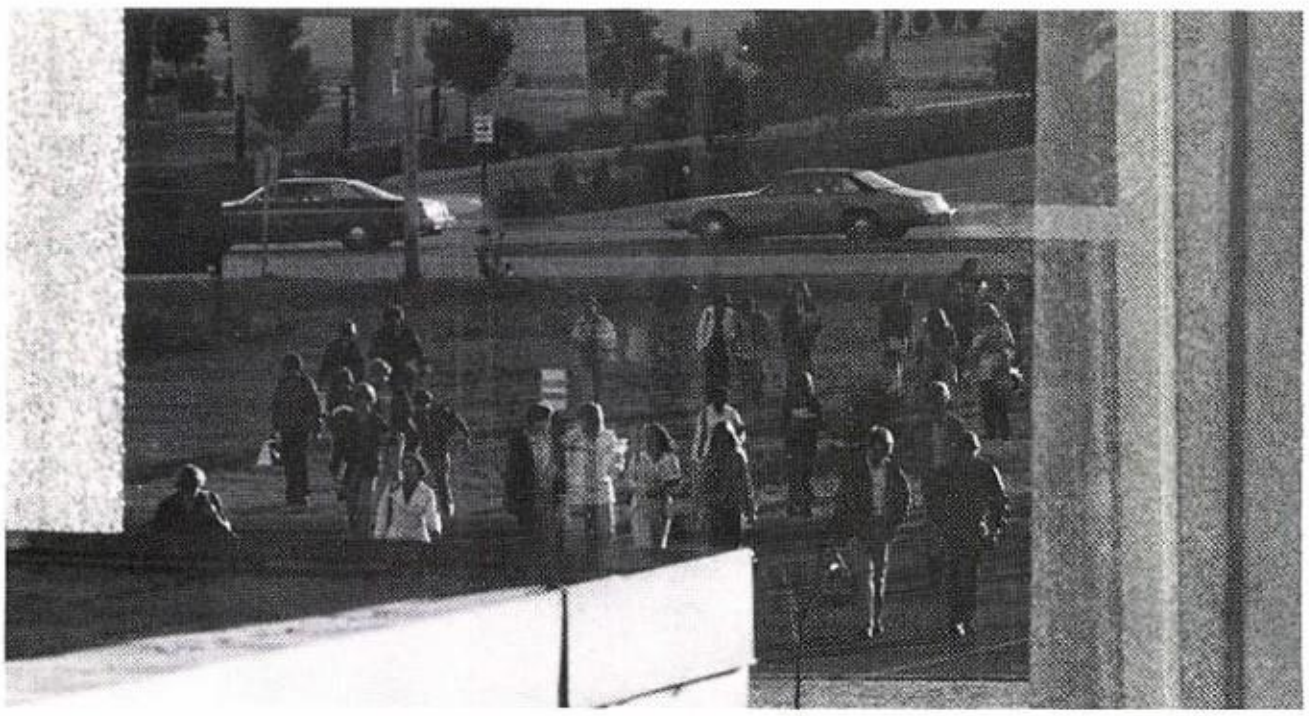


Judy Struck does a last minute review.

Student keeping warm on a cold morn.

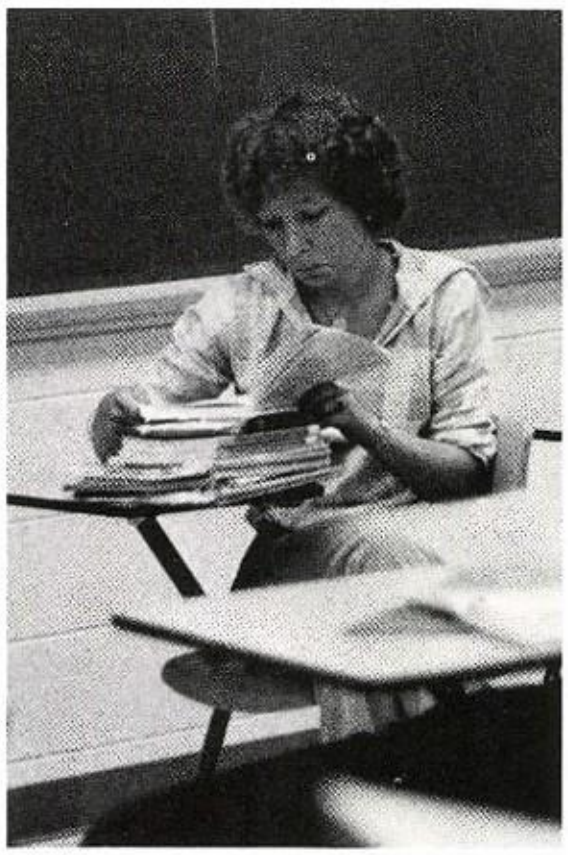


Jim Baumgart in deep meditation after a performance in band.



Students return after an exciting weekend.

Indulging in a text book, but falling asleep.



Response to an assignment given.

Rise And Shine

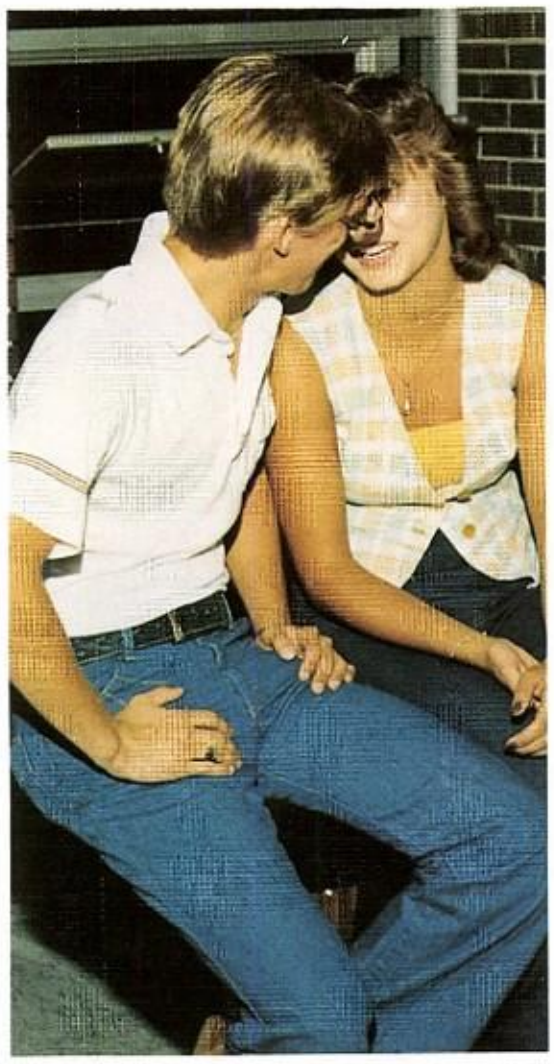
To many students, Monday should be erased from all calendars. We asked freshman, Mark Manns, what his opinion was on this subject. He responded, "Basically you're tired and don't want to do anything. You know you have to get up and go to school, but this is very hard to do after a good weekend. The way to beat the Monday morning blues is to have a fair outlook of the week ahead."

Shake, Blend And Mix

Dash of Freshmen
2 tbls. Sophomores
½ cup Juniors
2 cups Seniors
Blend well and add a dash of Strobonic, and heat gently in early September, and you'll have the 1978 Mixer Dance.

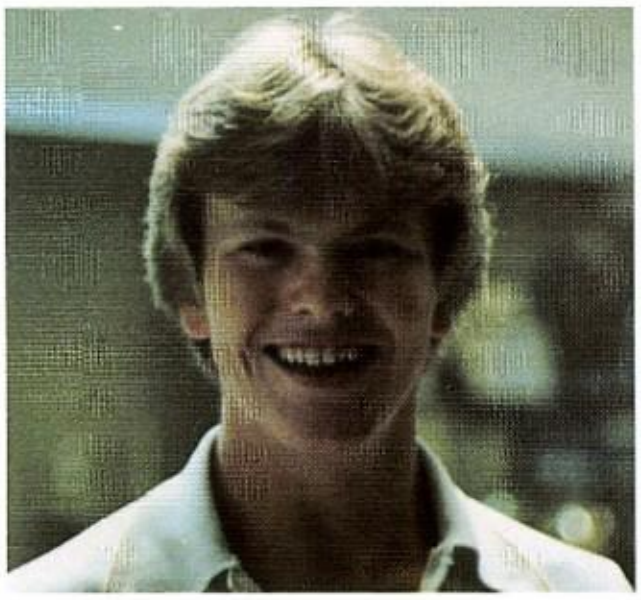
The Mixer was a time for old friends to get reacquainted and new friends to get better acquainted. It was also the first time for Freshmen to see what a dance is really like! !

Whether you boogied down or just watched, the Mixer was fun and memories for all.

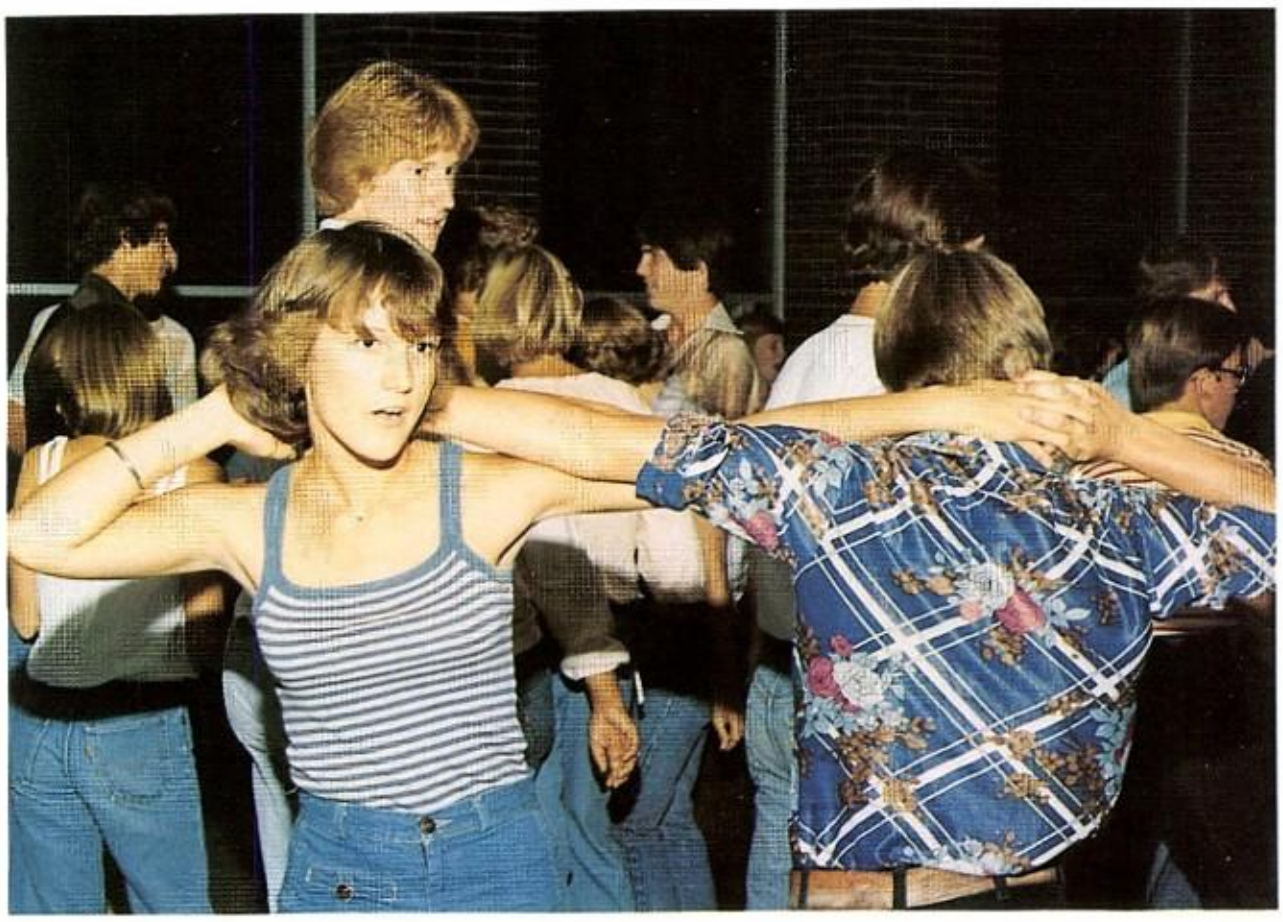


A couple relaxing after a dance.

Sheri Stach havin fun.

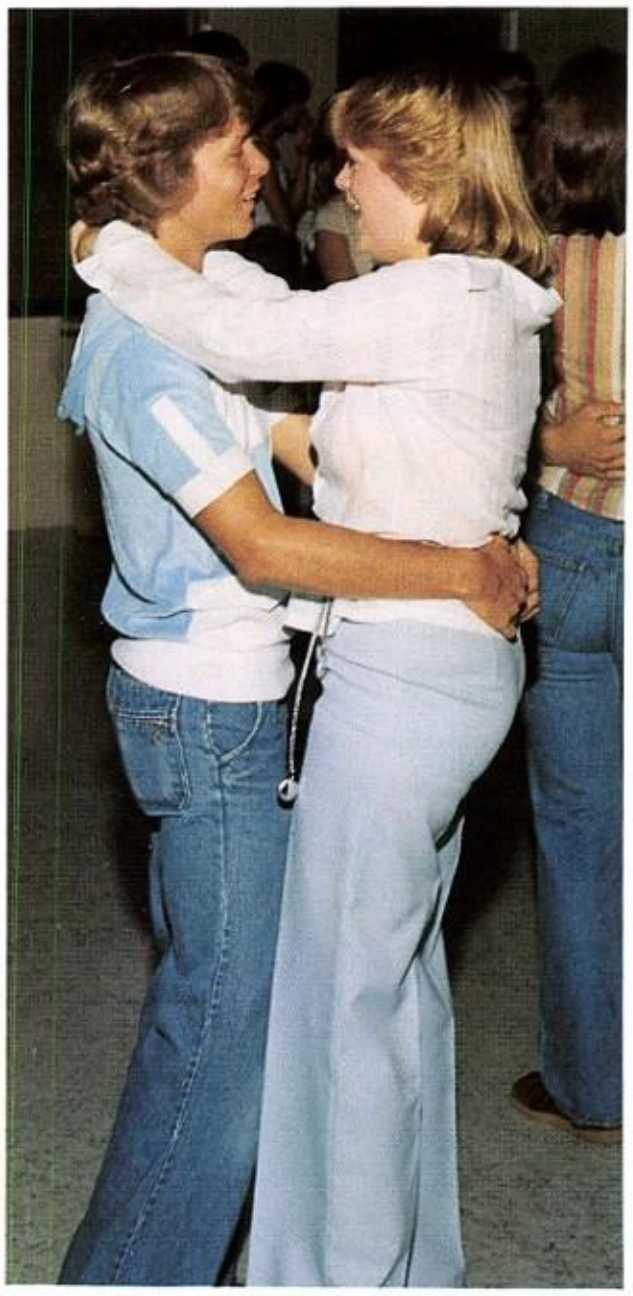


Chuck Dulde wears a happy grin.

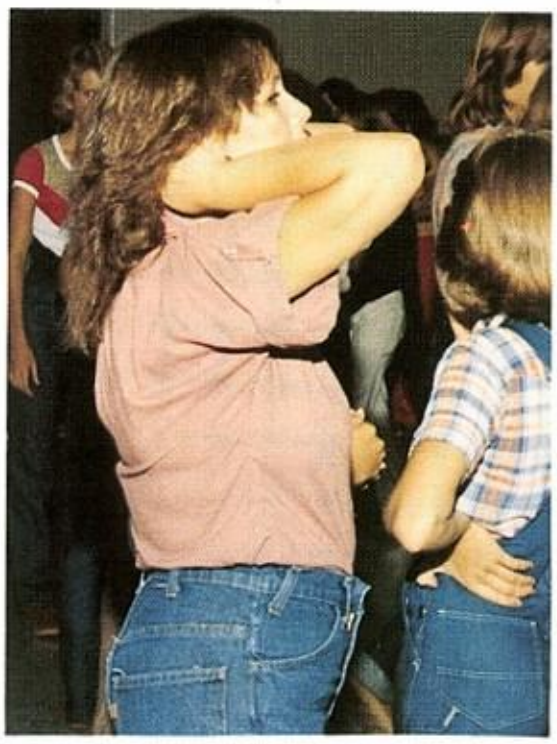


Disco Dancers move to the beat.

Gals boogie down at the Mixer Dance.



Couple talk as they dance to slow styles.



Renee Posavec takes a breather.

"I like it. Yea. It's really great to get out there on the floor and let yourself go." These were the feelings of junior, John Rupena, when asked about dancing.

Many students enjoy the Mixer, Homecoming, Sweetheart, and Prom dances-but if you really want to see action, visit an ordinary record-dance. The record dances bring students together whether they are dating, going steady or just looking. Everyone is almost guaranteed a great time.

dancing

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SENIORS

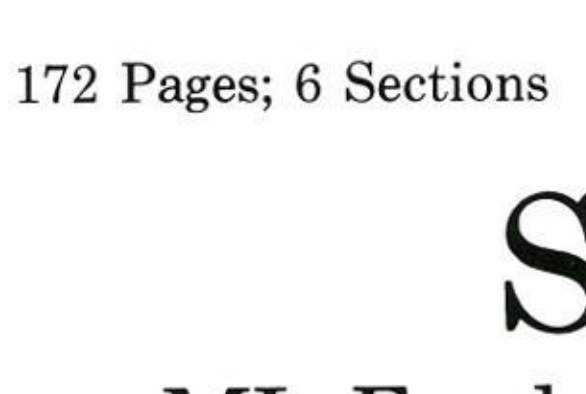
ML Food Collecting For Needy

Food for needy families is being collected by the Martin Luther High School student body and staff from Monday, Nov. 13, through Dec. 4.

Aid Association for Lutherans (AAL) will provide funds matching the monetary value of food collected so that food vouchers may be provided for the purchase of fresh foods.

The collected foods will be delivered by students on Dec. 21.

Classifieds Get Results



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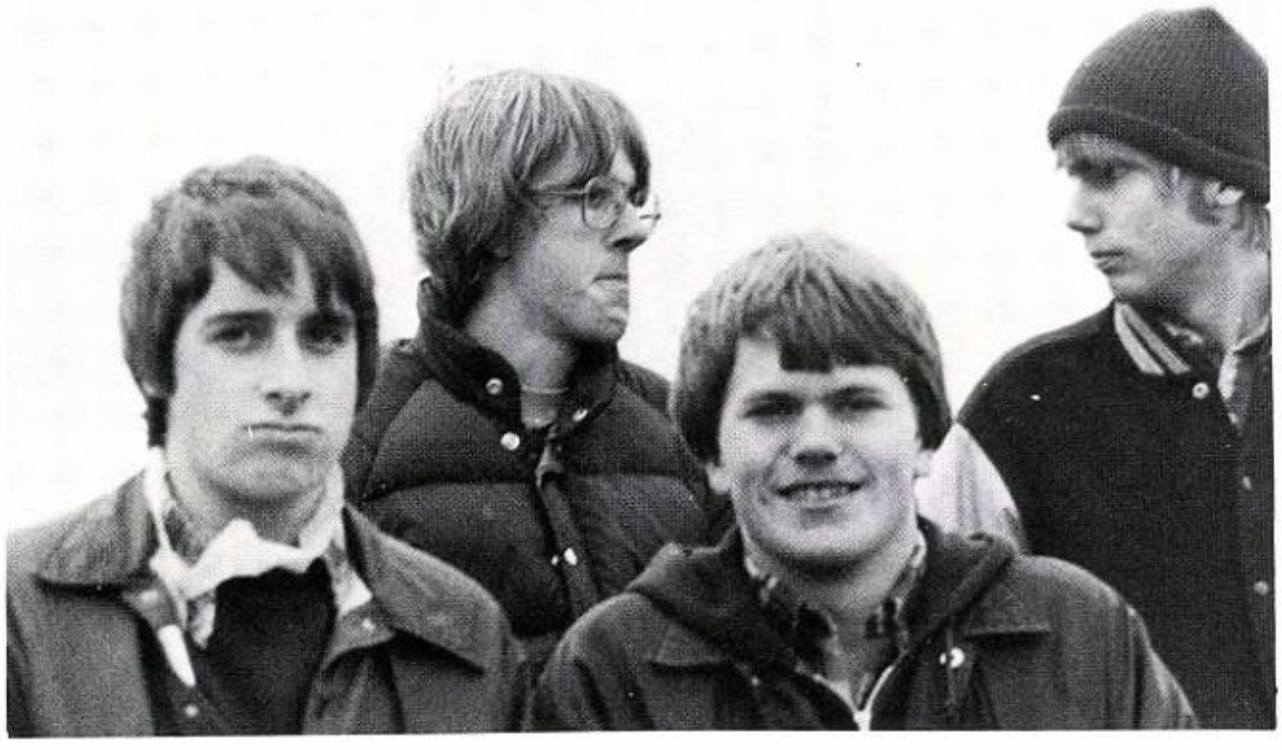


ML's Play Slated

Tickets are on sale for "Our Hearts Were Young and Gay," being presented by Martin Luther High School's drama department on Friday and Saturday, Nov. 10 and 11. Curtain time will be 7:30 P.M.

Laura Dahl is the student director and Jennie Loif and Dave Treichel are stage managers.

Cast members are Phil Abel, Lois Lange, LuAnn Lanke, Rick Barwa, Laura Boyer, Karen Coogan, Jim Kuchler, Linda Bores, Jan Knutson, Jay Schaefer, Melinda Ames, Cathy Chojnacki, Lynnette Schwechel, Mike Dreger, Jeff Goeckle, Dave Kaphingst and Gary Stelse.

Set in the 1920s the play by Cornellia Otis Skinner is about two adventuresome girls who embark on an ocean voyage and a summer in Paris without their parents.

THER PHALANX

3, 1979 Greendale, Wisconsin Final Edition**

Spartan Football

By Mark Hutchinson

One thing which Gene Schneider's Martin Luther Spartans lacked this season was strength in numbers and that was evident in last Saturday's season finale, a 28-0 loss to St. Mary's of Burlington.

The Spartans were picked as the Midwest Prep title favorite in a preseason poll of the coaches, but injuries and mistakes riddled them all year. They finished with a 3-3 record behind St. John's, St. Mary's and University School, all of which were 5-1

In the conference opener against University School star halfback Jim Povlick was shaken up and the Spartans missed him. They lost that game in the final minutes after committing a costly turnover.

Two games later flanker Don Smith suffered a dislocated elbow. He was a good all-around player and the Spartans were really hurt by his absence.

Another key to Spartan success was quarterback John Brunette. He broke his collarbone in the St. John's game, which Martin Luther also lost in the last minute.

Although the Spartans did score 98 points this season, one man was depended upon to provide the points. Povlick scored 64 points to lead the conference. When opponent defenses keyed on Povlick, the Spartans had their problems.

Schneider said he is optimistic for next year. "We have 15 boys returning next year, and they will be our foundation. Povlick, Jeff Otter, Mike Volle-key, and R. G. Lucko will be the key returnees, but we will have several important spots to fill."

"I think the key to next year's season is for us to find a center, a quarterback, and some bigger running backs," said Schneider. "Our backs were pretty small this year so we had to rely on Povlick's speed."

Lack of depth was another thing which hurt the Spartans this season and Schneider looks for a deeper team next year. "Povlick, Smith and Brunette were this year's nucleus. When our main people got hurt, we didn't have the manpower to fill the gaps."

Manpower turned out to be the key to last Saturday's game. Schneider tried three quarterbacks to try to get his offense going, but the Spartans suffered eight interceptions. "It was partly our inexperience and partly a lack of blocking," Schneider noted.

The Hilltopper defense keyed on Povlick and held the Spartans to only 25 yards on the ground. "They seemed to be keying on Jim, so we tried to put the ball in the air," Schneider explained.

The Hilltoppers scored their first touchdown early in the first quarter after recovering a fumble on the Martin Luther 10 yard line. Jim Aidrich scored from six yards out and those six points stood up for the half.

In the third quarter the Hilltoppers picked off a Spartan pass, and then scored on a three yard run by Joel Smith. Minutes later, they intercepted another pass and scored on a 45 yard touchdown pass from Smith to Pat Koenen.

The Hilltoppers got their final score in the fourth quarter following a bad snap to the Spartan punter. They recovered on the 15 and Smith took it in two plays later, making the score 28-0.

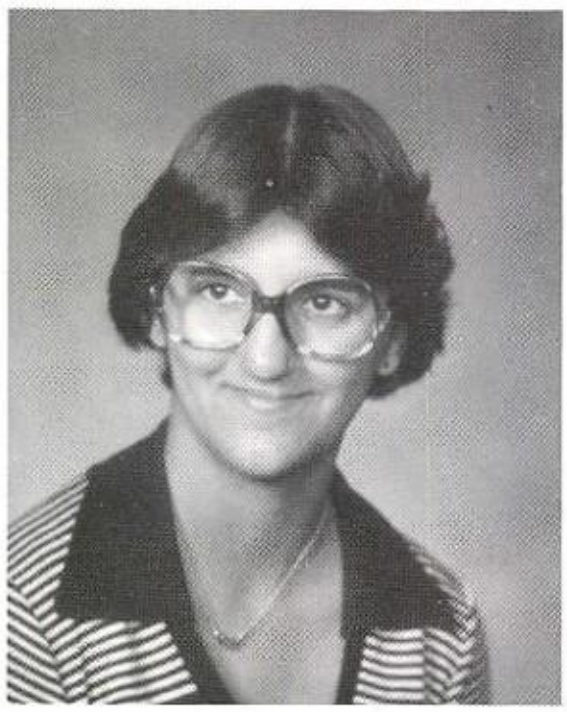
The victory was a big one for St. Mary's. On Sunday night the WISAA officials picked the Hilltoppers to compete in the Class B state playoffs. St. John's Military Academy was also picked, giving the Midwest Prep two representatives in the four team event.

DEE JAYE ADLER

''Dadler'' ... lots of fun ... ambition: LPN ... gift of gab ... sunny personality ... pet peeve: not having enough money at the right time ... loves to laugh ... Office Aid 1,2,3,4; Choir 1,2,3,4; Troubadours 2

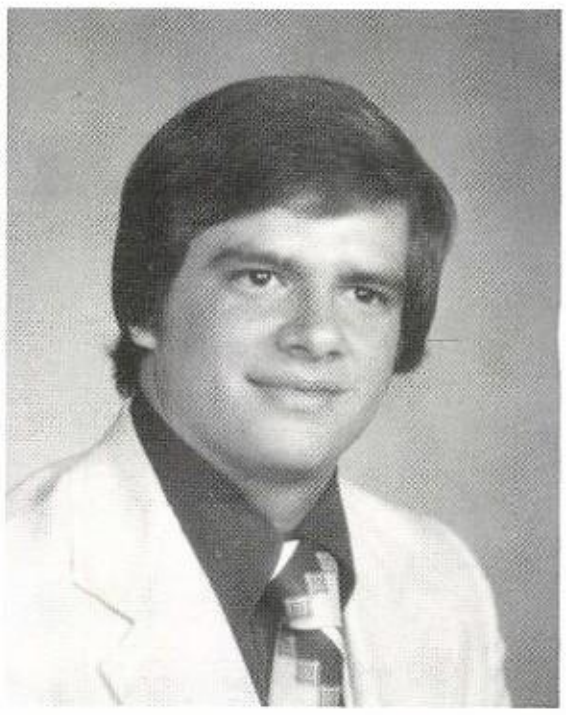
MELINDA AMES

''Mindy'' ... ambition: accountant ... came Junior year from North Dakota ... scuba dives ... pet peeve: people telling her how to drive ... Orchestra 4; Productions 4; Drama 4



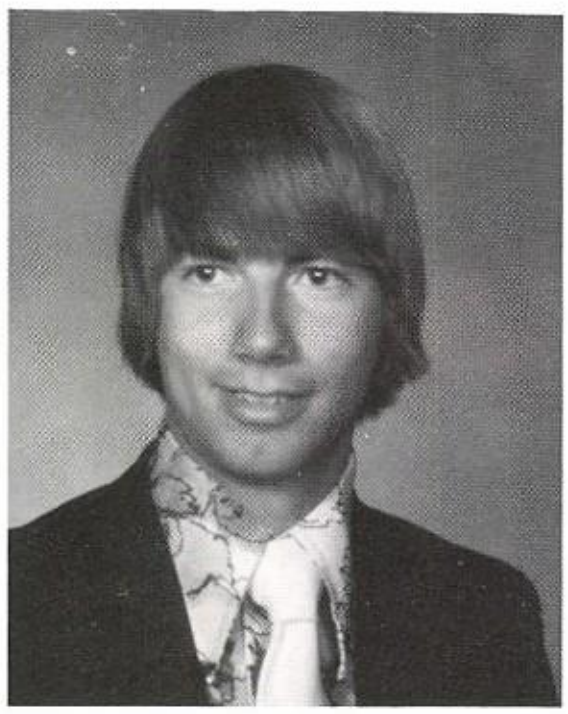
CHRIS BACKUS

Came Senior year from Minnesota ... plays piano ... related to Mr. Faszholz ... sweet ... likes to jog ... Track 4; Choir 4



Football 1,2,3,4; Manager 1,2,3,4; P.U. Cheerleader 4; Library Aid 1,2,4; Audio Visual Aid 3,4; Asst. Coach 2,3; Choir 2,3,4; Troubadours 1,2,3,4; Productions 4; Drama 1,2,3,4 ... likes woodworking ...''Are Barwa and Dahl at it again?''... pet peeve; gossip ... always heard ... wants to be a pilot ... ''Bubu''

RICHARD H. BARWA



Football 1; Basketball 2,3; Intramurals 4; Tennis 3; Sym. Band 3,4; Pep Band 1,2,3,4; Varsity Band 1,2; ... likes food fights ... pet peeve: office machines ... ''My brain hurts'' ... tall ... ambition: aquatic biology .... ''Bo-gart''

JIM BAUMGART

Track 1; Cheerleader 1,3,4; Pom Pons 2; Sym. Band 3,4; Pep Band 1,2,3,4; Varsity Band 1,2; Stage Crew 1,4 ... hobbie: talking on the phone ... lean ... pet peeve: taking notes ... likes to eat???? ... ''Berky''

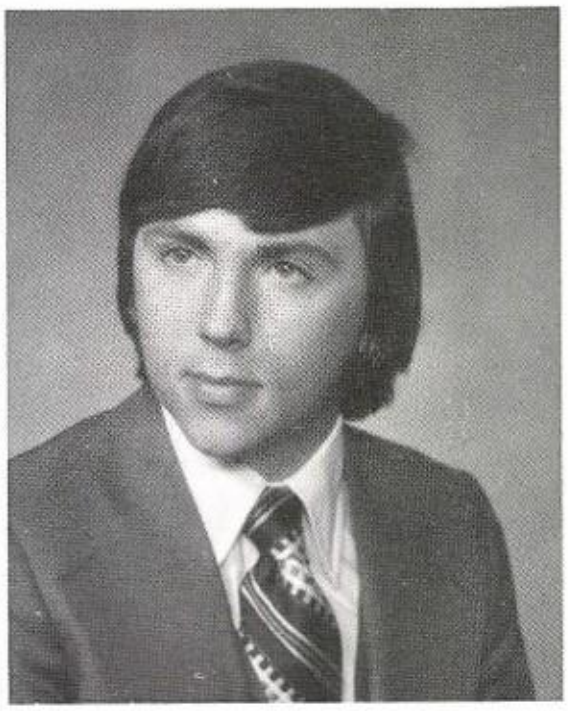
GAIL BERKHAHN

REBECCA L. BAHR

''Bucky'' ... voices her opinions ... works at Mac's ... future physical therapist ... pretty eyes ... ''Get off my case!'' ... Volleyball 1,2,3; Track 2,4; Caf. Helper 4; Library Aid 3,4; Gym Leader 3,4; ChiRho Club 3,4; Choir 4; Sym. Band 1,2,3,4; Pep Band 1,2,3,4; Troubadours 4; Productions 4; Stage Crew 1

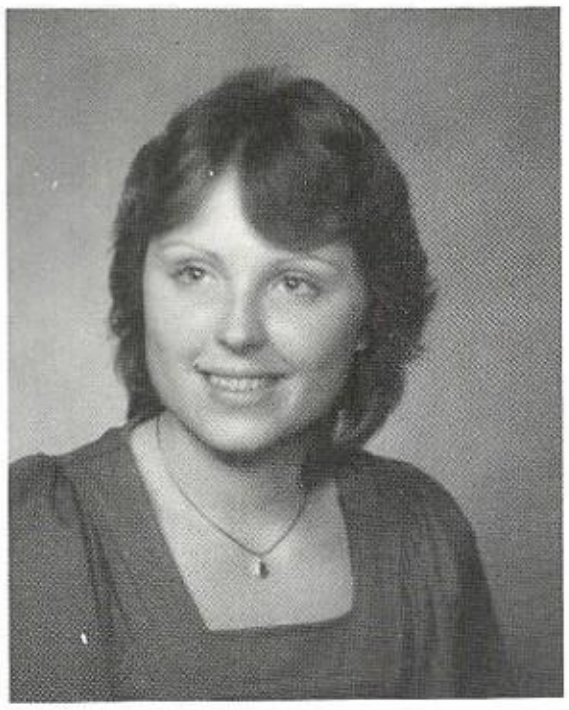
JIM BARNDT

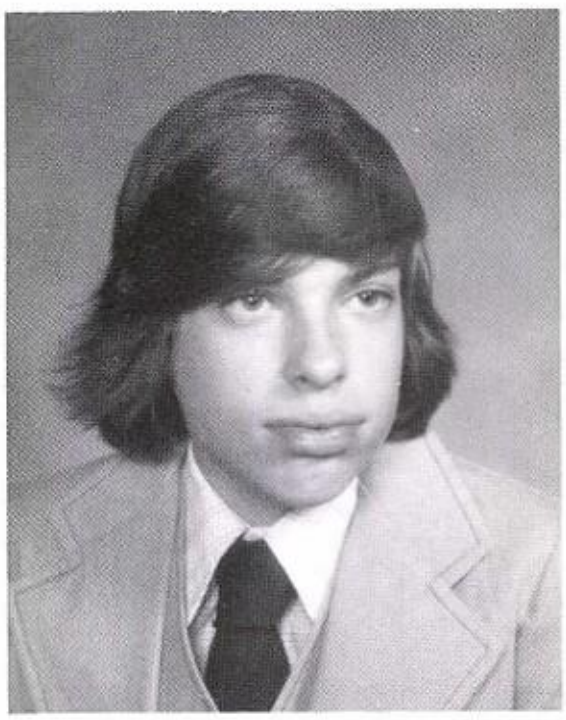
''Jim Bob'' ... golf enthusiast ... intellectual ... ambition: historian ... reserved ... pet peeve: building passes ... Football 2; Baseball 1; Intramurals 1,2,3,4; NHS 3; Choir 2,3,4; Productions 1,2,3,4



JAN BARNDT

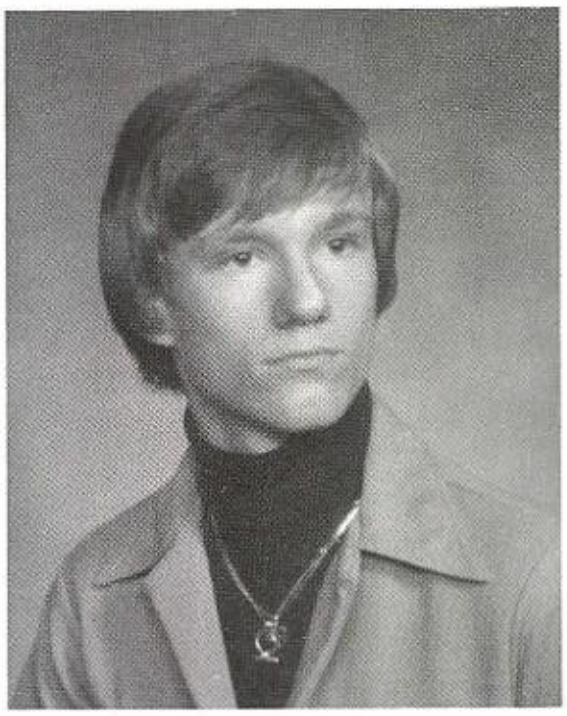
''Baby Kins'' ... always smiling ... likes to sing and eat pizza ... ''I have to get my head together.'' ... ambition: dental assistant ... likes to bum around ... Intramurals 2,3; Pom Pons 4; Choir 4





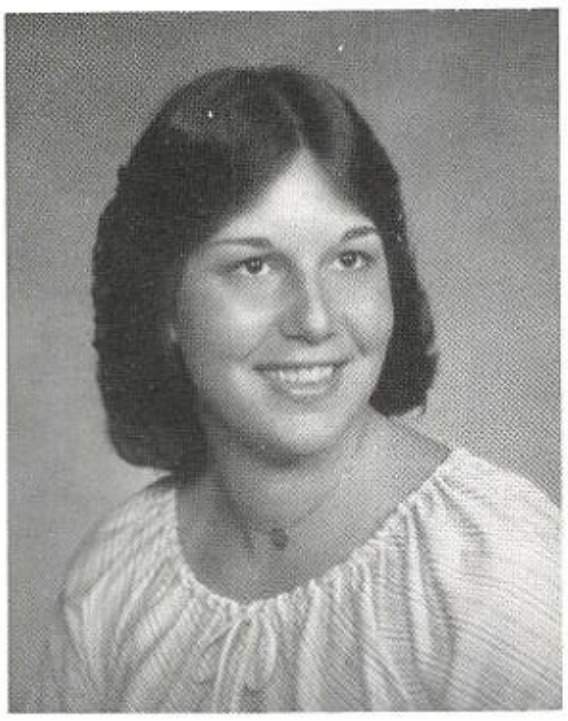
Quiet ... likes to watch sports ... enjoys reading ... doesn't have much to say

DAVID BERNHARDT



Football 1,2; Wrestling 1,2; ... hates homework ... wants to be a chef ... plays raquetball ... ''Farm Out''

JASON BILLYARD

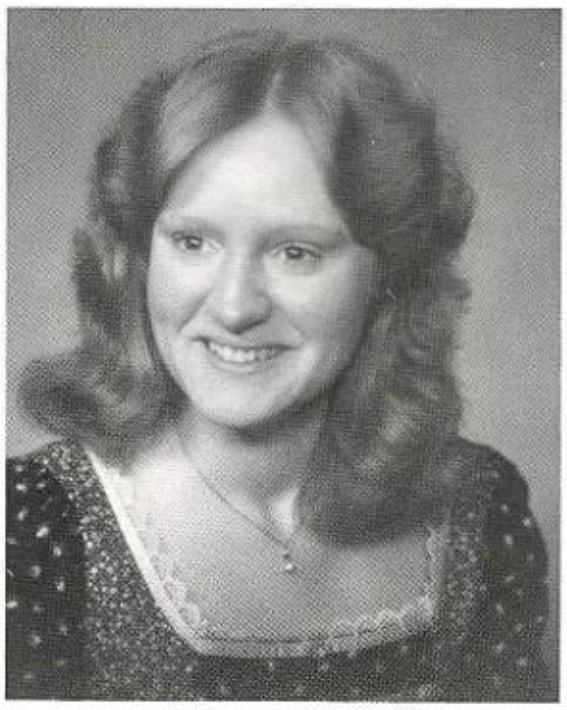


Basketball 1,2,3; Volleyball 1,2,3,4; Softball 1,2,4; NHS 3,4; Gym Leader 3; Choir 3,4; Sym. Band 1,2,3,4; Pep Band 1,2,3,4; Jazz Lab 4; Troubadours 4; Come Together 1,2 ... opens up when reminiscing ... ambition: radiologic technologist ... athletic ... plays piano ... ''Boomer''

VICKI BLAZER

DIANNE MARGARET BLOCK

''Giggles'' ... ambition: secretary ... feminine ... enjoys tennis and bowling ... quiet ... dislikes lectures and taking notes

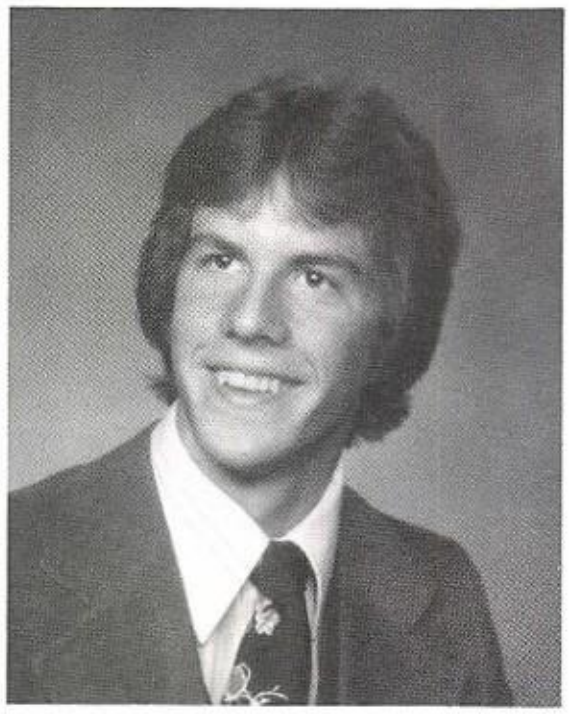


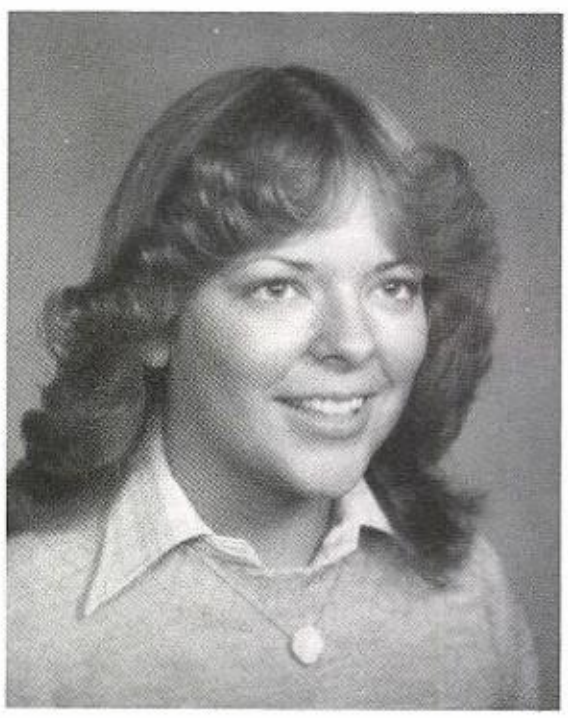
Library Aid 1; Gym Leader 4; Audio Visual Aid 1; ChiRho Club 4; Stage Crew 4 ... outspoken ... ''I'm so confused!'' ... will give her views on any subject ... destination: the mountains ... argumentative ... ''Boom-Boom''

BONNIE BURGESS

BRADLY K. BLUHM

''Brad'' ... likes going to the 24 drive-in ... long and lean ... from Indiana ... ''Later'' ... ambition: journalist ... prankster ... pet peeve: flirting ... Football 1; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Intramural Ref. 3; Tennis 1,2; Dept. Help 4



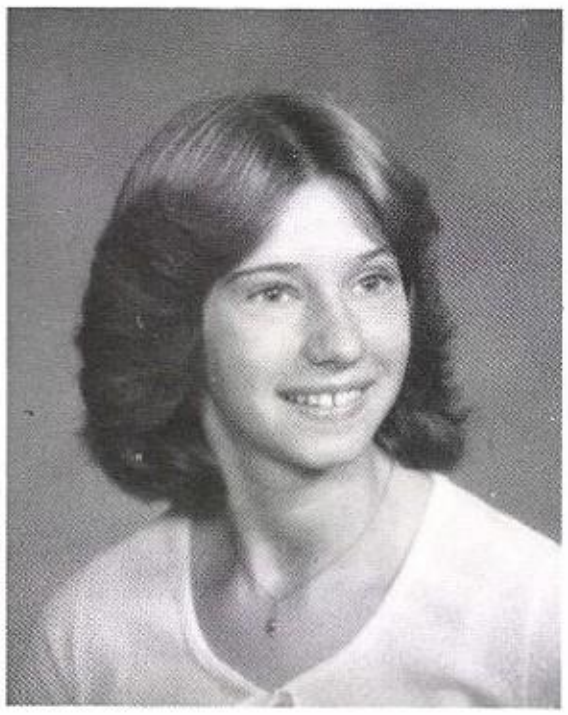


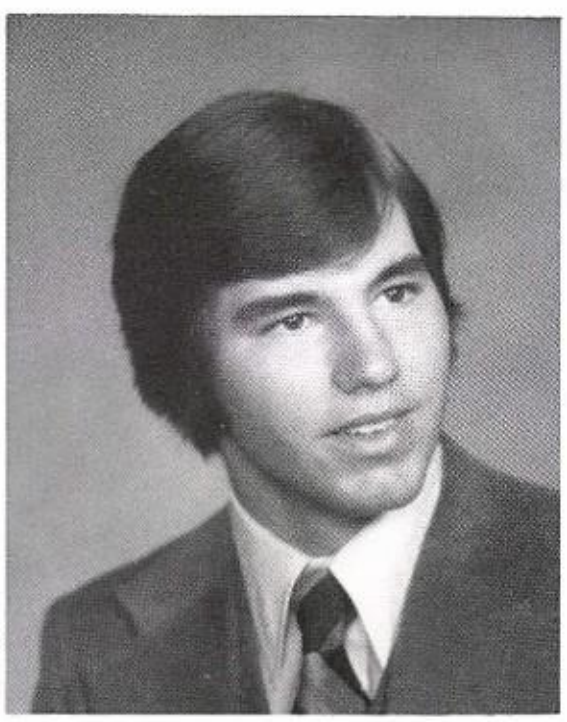
Musical 4; Drama 4; ... came Junior year from Catholic Mem. ... likes horsebackriding ... soft spoken ... future veterinarian ... loves ice cream and animals ... great artist

CATHY CHOJNACKI

LINDA BORES

''Winnie'' ... came Junior year from ''that other school'' ... likes being rowdie ... talkative ... ''Do I have your permish?'' ... Track 3; NHS 3; Receptionist 3; Productions 4; Drama 4



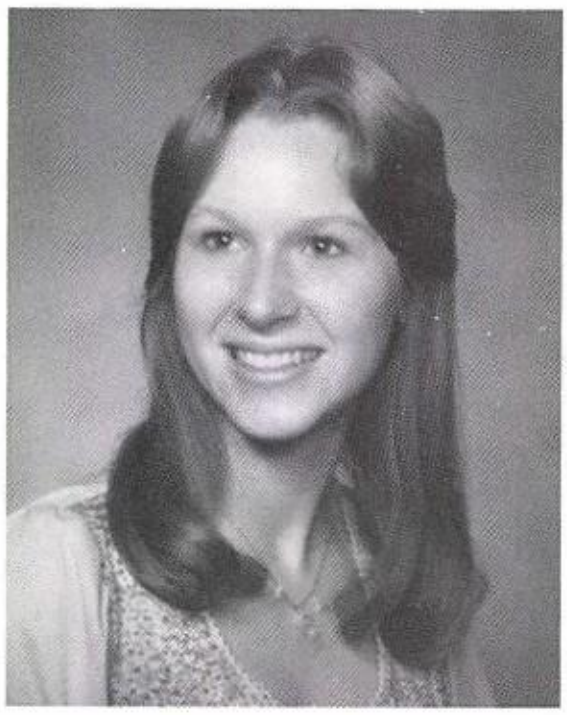


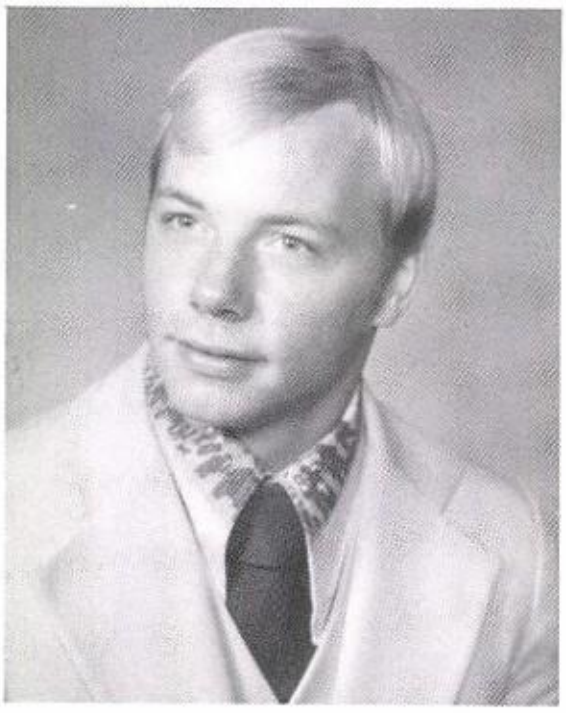
Football 2; Wrestling 2; Intramurals 3; ... steers clear of golf clubs in gym class ... wants to be an auto mechanic ... likes skateboarding ... ''Crusty''

ROBERT CHRISTIANSEN

LAURA BOYER

Red hair ... likes meeting people ... future registered nurse ... friendly ... comes from Chicago ... ''Ta-Ta'' ... Office Aid 4; Choir 3,4; Troubadours 4; Come Together 2; Productions 4; Drama 2,3,4; Make-up 2,3



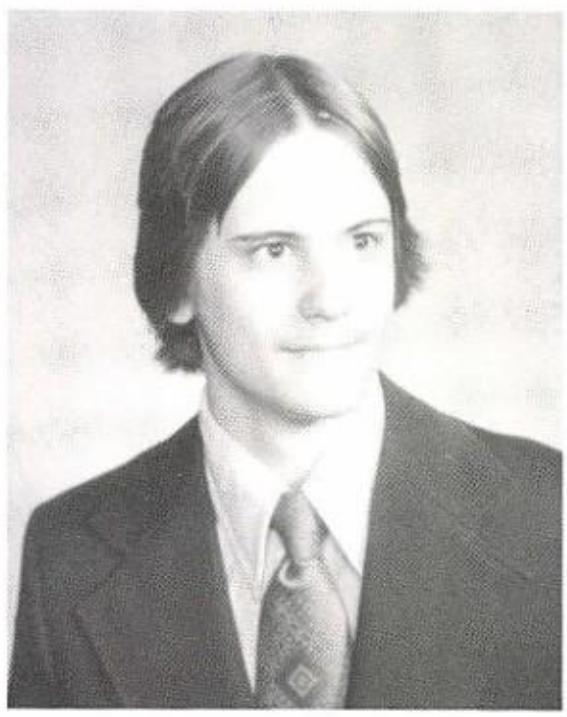


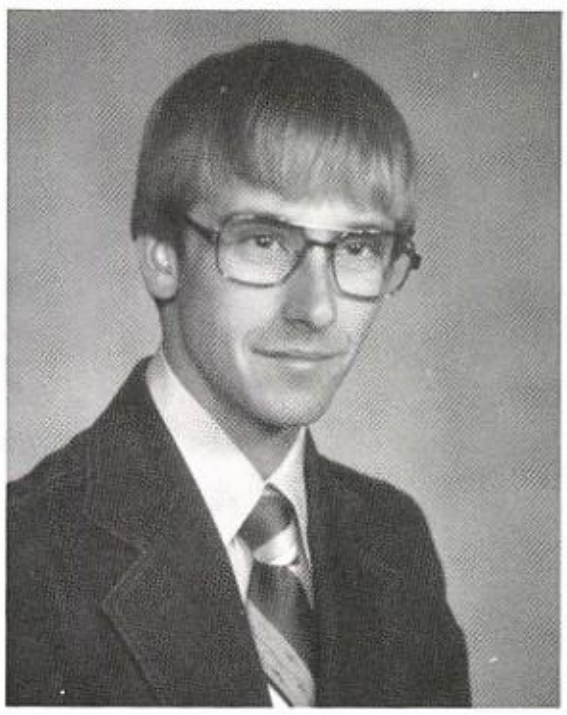
Football 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Wrestling 2,3,4; Intramurals 4; P.U. Cheerleader 4; Groundskeeper 1,2,3; Choir 3,4; Musical 4; Drama 2,3 ... devilish laugh .. ambition: mining or civil engineer ... archery enthusiast ... ''Clepto''

FRANK CLEPPE

PAUL BRANT

Likes cars ... cross country star ... drives a purple Gremlin ... doodler ... ambition: to learn how to speak German ... Stats 2,3; Track 1,2; Cross Country 1,2,3,4; Intramurals 4



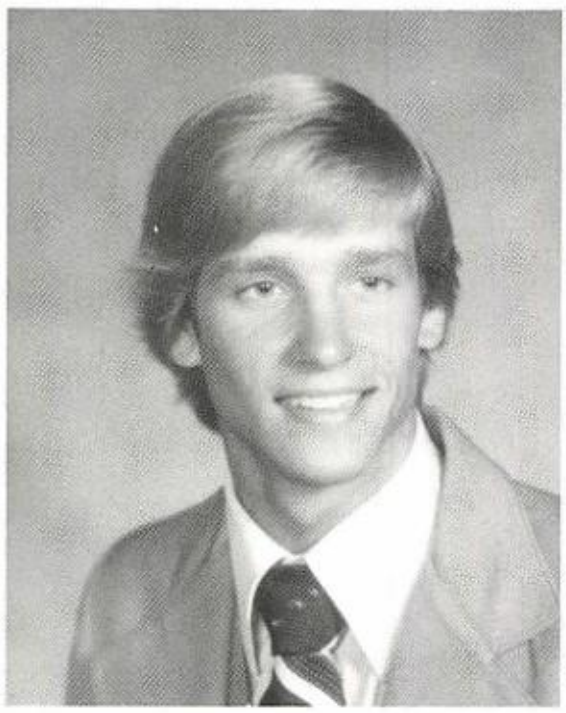


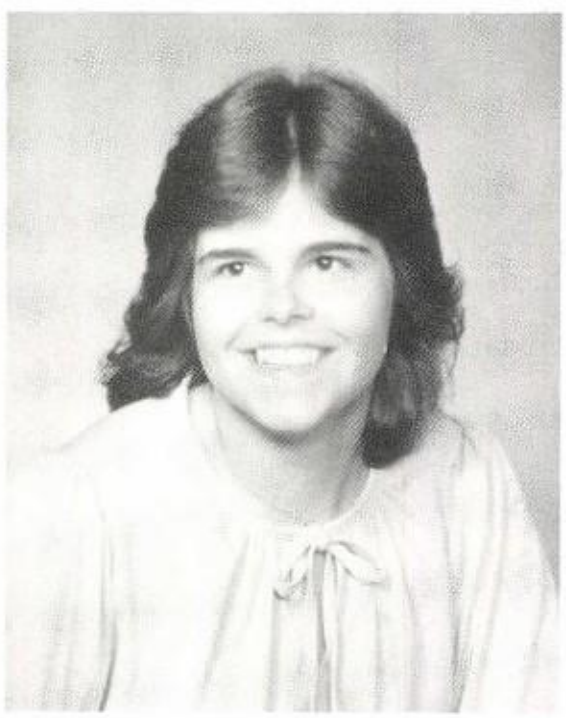
Cross Country 3,4; Wrestling 3; Intramurals 4; Gym Leader 3,4; C.B. Club 3; Choir 3 ... has a walk all his own ... came Junior year ... ambition: to be rich ...

SCOTT CONSOER

JOHN STEPHEN BRUNETTE

''John-John'' ... plays guitar ... dislikes gossipy girls ... a teaser ... ''Forget that noise'' Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,3,4; P.U. Cheerleader 4; Gym Leader 4; Chi Rho Club 4; Choir 4; Sym. Band 1,2,3,4; Pep Band 1,2,3,4; Jazz Lab 3,4; Troubadours 4



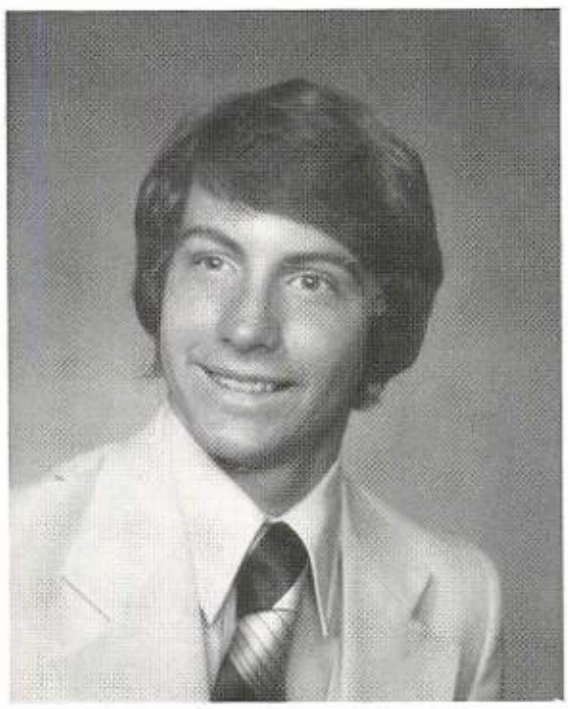


Volleyball 3,4; Softball 1; Intramurals 1,2,3; Manager 3,4; Phalanz 1; Class Vice-Pres. 1,2; NHS 3,4; Musical 4; Drama 4; Stage Crew 3,4 ... congenial ... ambition: to work with animals ... lively ... ''How rude!'' ... looks on the bright side of things ... ''Coogie''

KAREN COOGAN

TOM CUTTING

Loves tennis ... ambition: to travel around the world ... classic red hair ... easy-going ... wants to climb a mountain ... Tennis 1,2,3,4; Office Aid 4; Choir 4

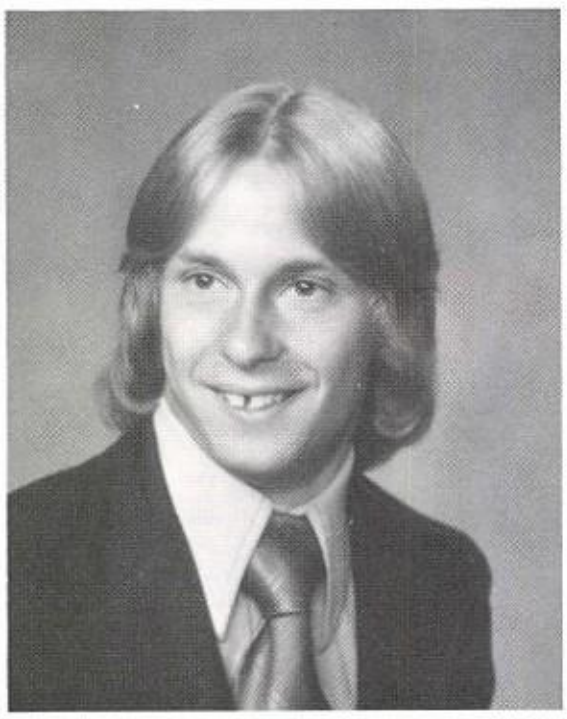


Basketball 1; Track 1,2,3,4; Golf 1,2,3,4; Intramurals 2,3,4 ... pet peeve: American Lit. homework ... quiet ... golf enthusiast ... likes to hunt and fish ... "What!!!!"

JOEL DOEPKE

LAURA B. DAHL

"Weasel" ... brat queen at County Stadium ... ambition: 1st female chief justice of the U.S. Supreme Court ... pet peeve: spacy females ... likes to embroider and crochet ... has a lot to say ... Manager 1,2; Student body Pres. 4; NHS 3,4; Caf. Helper 2,3,4; Office Aid 1,2,3,4; Musical 4; Drama 1,3,4; Makeup/Costuming 1,2,4; Asst. Director 4

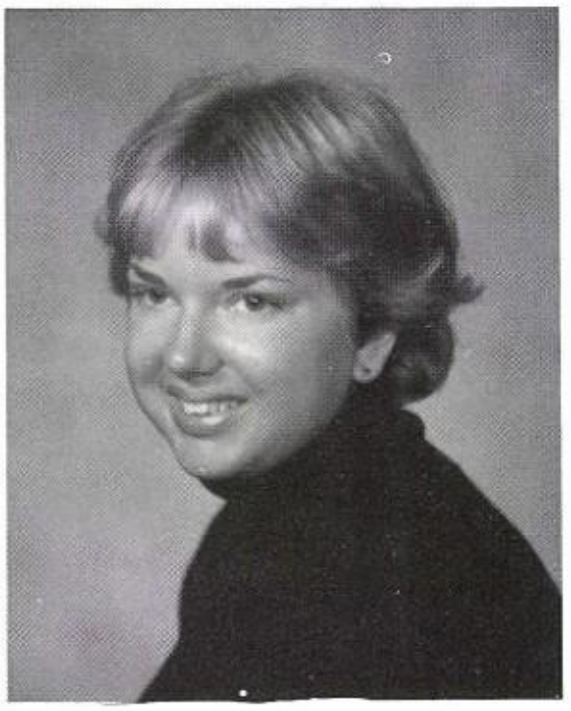


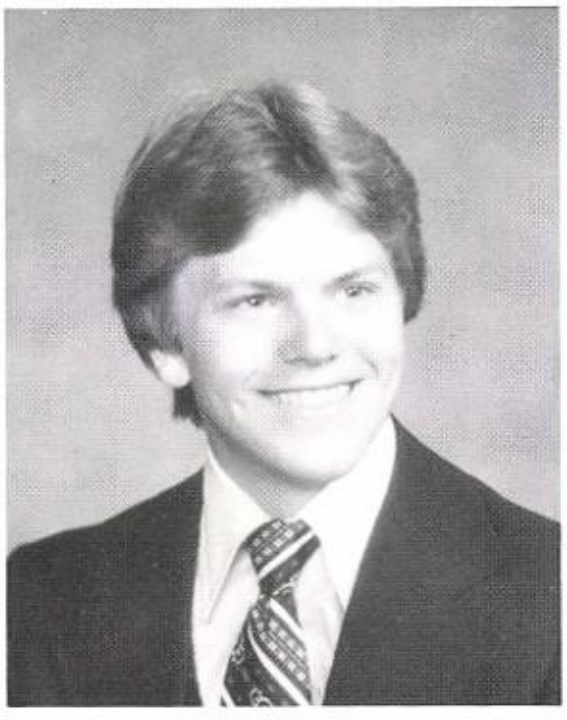
Track 2; Office Aid 3; Library Aid 4; Audio Visual Aid 4; Sym. Band 3; Pep Band 1,2,3; Varsity Band 1,2; Come Together 1,2; Musical 4; Drama 4 ... ambition: to graduate ... "Decent!" ... likes to party ... destination: the mountains ... "Dragster"

MICHAEL DRAEGER

CANDACE DEBBAN

"Short stuff" ... sincere ... likes to swim and sew ... friendly ... "Oh no!" ... ambition: social worker ... Phalanx 3; ChiRho Club 2,3; Come Together 2; Make-up 3



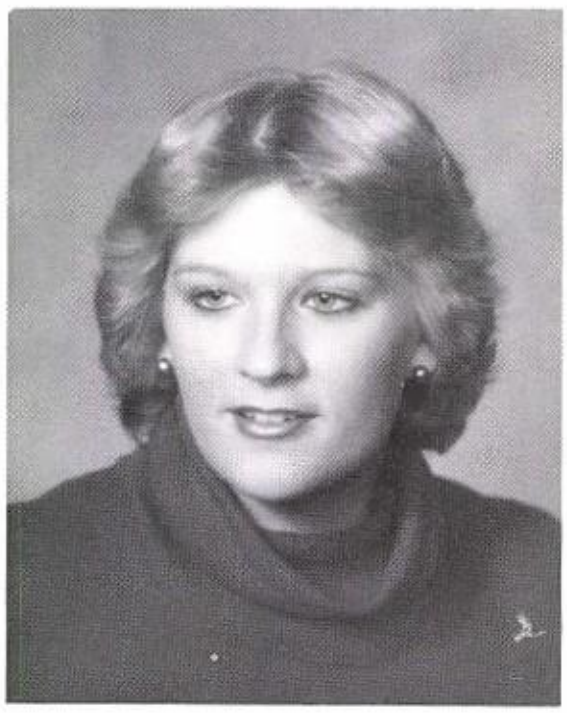


Football 2; Intramurals 2,3,4; Tennis 2,3,4; Computor Club 4; C.B. Club 3,4; Sym. Band 3,4; Pep Band 2,3,4; Varsity Band 2; ... pet peeve: the way Harr spells ... likes to bug Frosh ... future electrical engineer ... prankster ... "Lil Chuckie"

CHUCK DULDE

HOLLY DECKER

Classic features ... hopes to have a career in optometry ... never in a hurry ... good natured ... quiet in class ... likes cats ... Basketball 2; Track 2; Sym. Band 3,4; Pep Band 1,2,3,4; Varsity Band 1,2

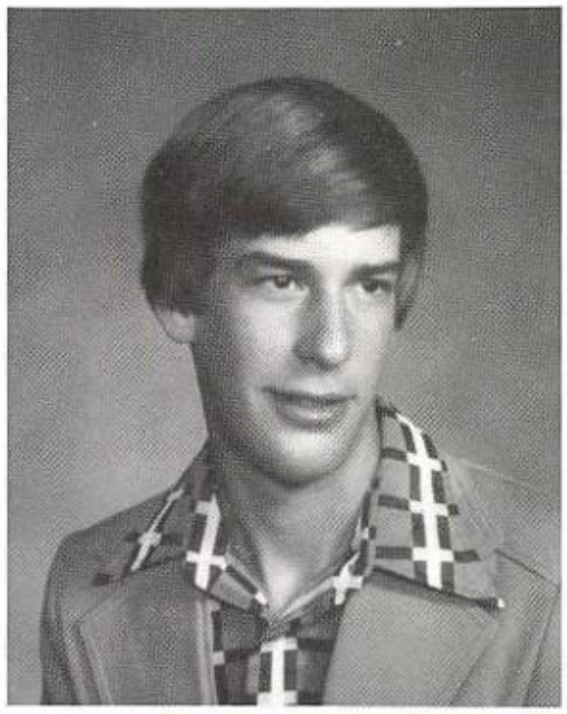


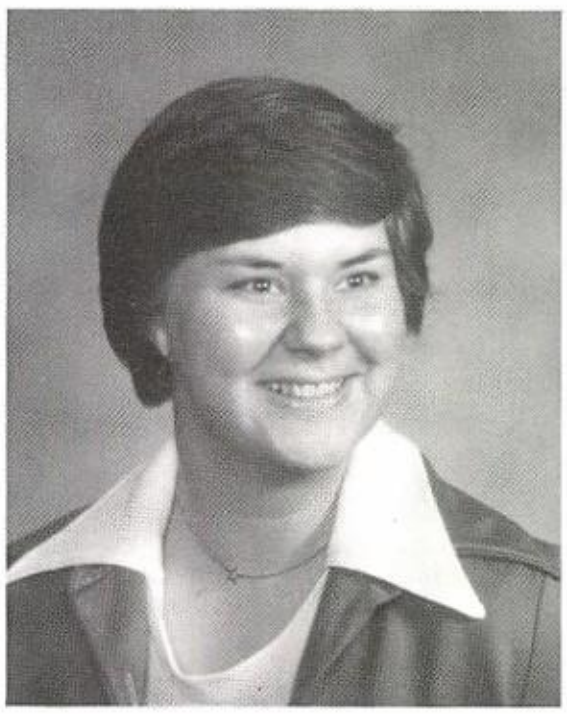
Pom Pons 4; Phalanx 3,4; Caf. Helper 3,4; Choir 4; Stage Crew 2; Make-up 3,4 ... good at gymnastics ... came Sophomore year from Eisenhower ... full of fun ... hopes to become a barber and get rich ... teaches piano ... laugh all her own ... ''Jilly''

JILL DUSZYNSKI

STEVE DEHNKE

Sincere ... ''What's the meaning of this?'' ... hard worker ... good orator ... Yankees fan ... good at trivia ... Phalanx 4



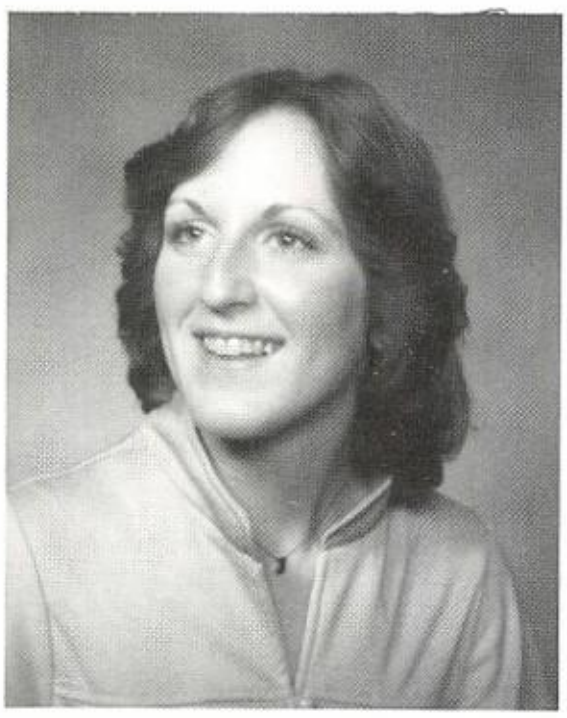


Office Aid 3,4; ChiRho Club 3,4; ... has a stubborn locker ... concern for others ... quiet ... ambition: nurse ... favorite color: purple ... ''Smiley''

VERLANE ERICKSEN

MARY BETH DOBSON

Plays the piano ... wants to be a radiologist ... long, pretty hair ... sews attractive clothes ... always smiling ... petite ... Intramurals 2,3; Manager 3; NHS 3,4; Musical 4; Drama 4; Stage Crew 3,4

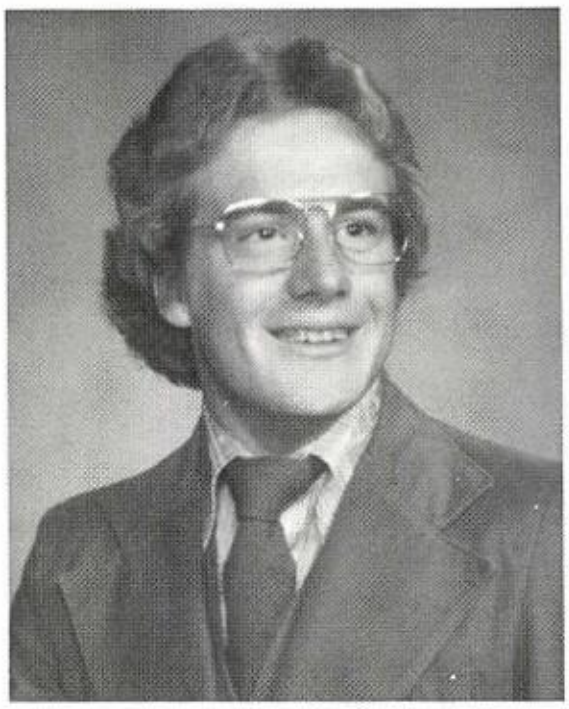


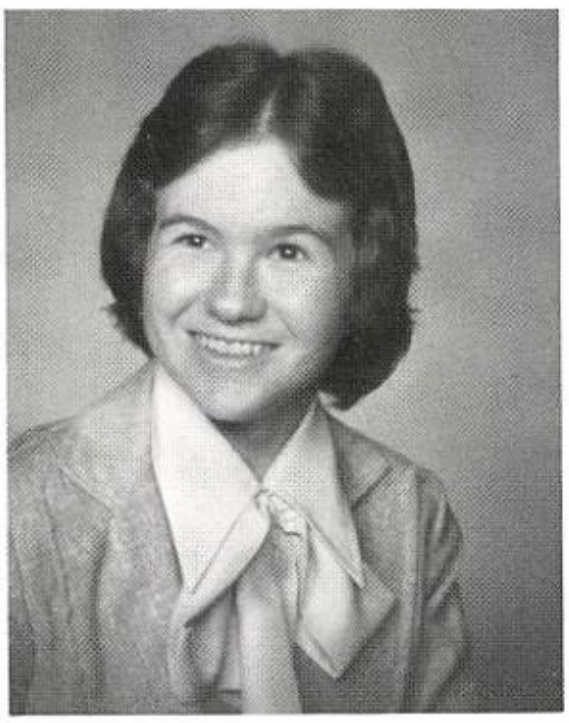
Office Aid 4; Sym. Band 2,3,4; Pep Band 1,2,3,4; Varsity Band 1; Musical 4; Make-up 2,3; Usher 4 ... a friend to anyone ... pet peeve: rotten drivers ... ambition: success in the business world ... conscientious ... ''Jay''

JOAN ESCH

DAVID FRANKLIN

Raquetball fan ... blushes quickly ... nice dresser ... ambition: to get a good job ... congenial ... Audio Visual Aid 1,2



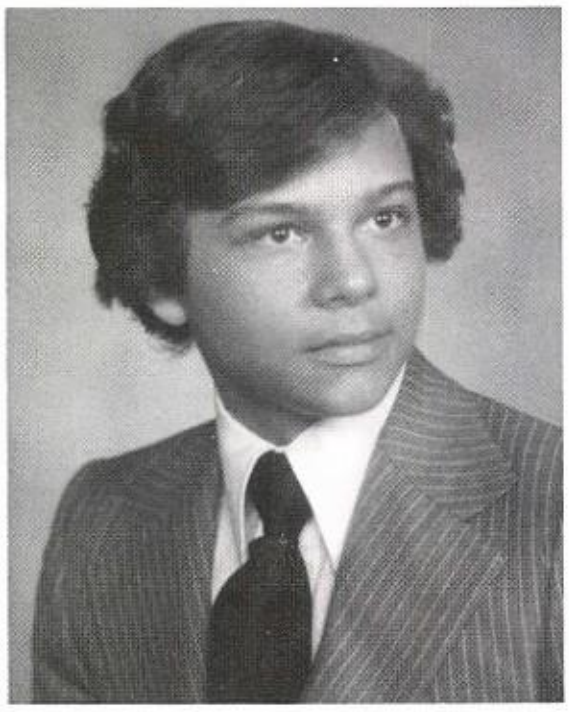


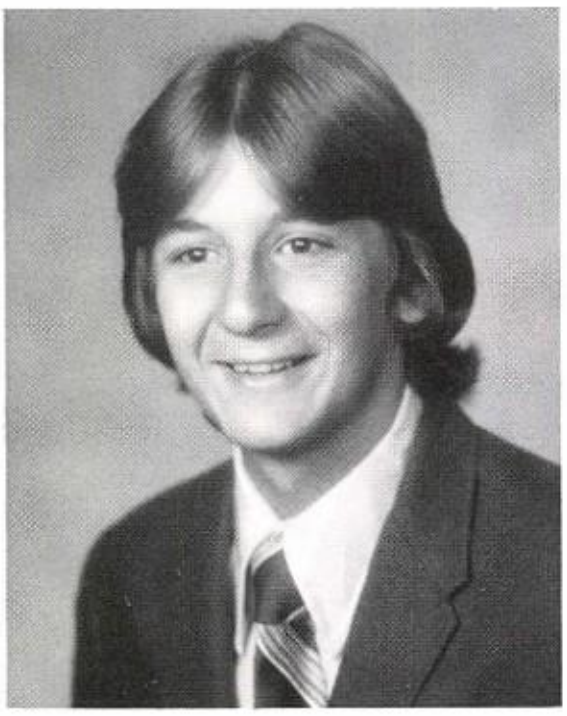
Manager 2; Office Aid 3; Gym Leader 4 ... short and slender ... ambition: receptionist ... freckles ... likes to rollerskate ... ''Handsome''

SUE HANSON

BRAD FROEMMING

World traveler ... good penmanship ... plans to go into law ... never a hair out of place ... distinct laugh ... Choir 2,3,4; Troubadours 3,4



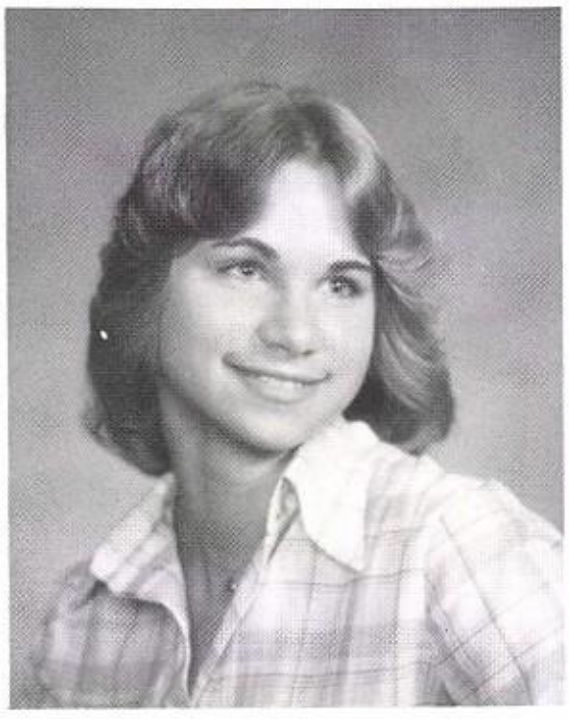


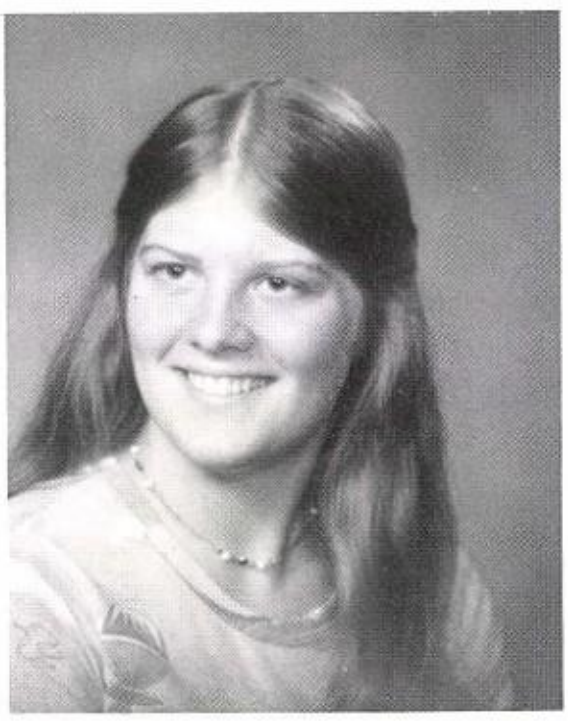
Football 1,2,4; Intramurals 1,2,4; Tennis 3,4 ... ''No comment'' ... mischievious ... likes all sports ... wants to be the best carpenter ... full of fun ... ''Wolfie''

MARK R. HARR

LINDA GARSKE

''Linda-chic'' ... ambition: cosmetology ... likes to get out of the house ... ''Wow'' ... big smile ... Sym. Band 1,2,3,4; Pep Band 1,2,3,4; Office Aid 3



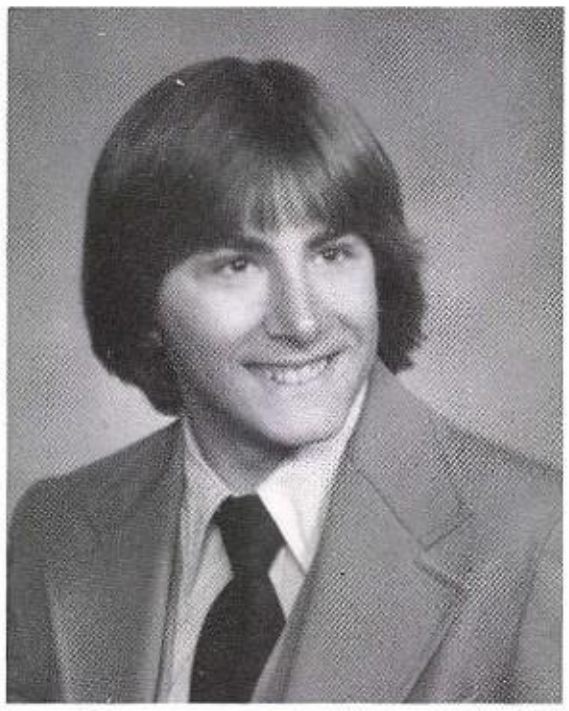


Basketball 2; Softball 2; Library Aid 3,4; Chapel Usher 4; Varsity Band 1 ... carries a lot of books ... hard worker ... dislikes more than one test a day ... hopes to be a rich physical therapist ... studious

NANCY HEISE

MICHAEL GILHUBER

''Hoob'' ... pet peeve: Freshmen ... wants to be a rock star ... hobby: looking for a job ... ''Really'' ... easy going

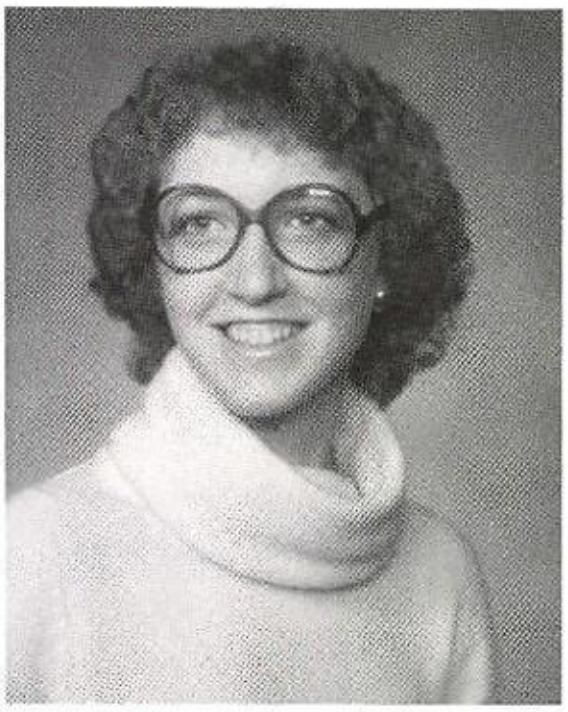


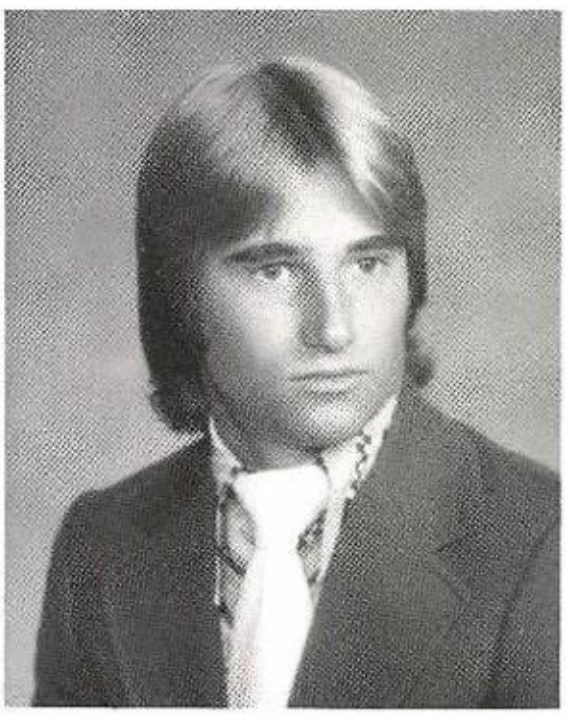
Wrestling 1; Computor Club 3; C.B. Club 3; ... Darth Vader fan ... ambition: computor programmer ... hails from New Mexico ... science fiction buff ... ''E.J.''

ERIC HOLMBERG

CHRISTINE GRUENEWALD

''Chris'' ... tall ... likes to dance ... plays the organ ... not afraid to voice opinions ... ''Now that's bizzare!'' ... planning a career in Fashion Merchandising ... destination: New York or London ... Track 2; Pom Pons 3,4; Phalanx 3,4; NHS 3,4; Caf. Helper 3,4; Choir 4; Sym. Band 4; Musical 4; Stage Crew 2; Make-up 2,3,4; Pep Band 4



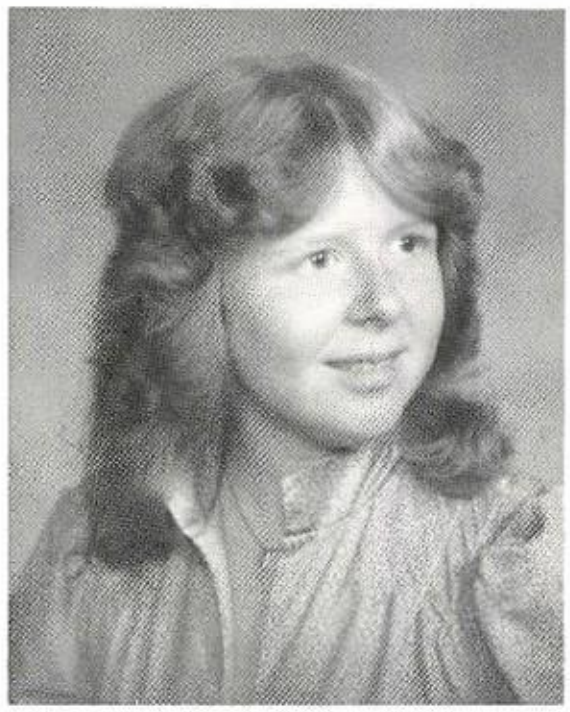


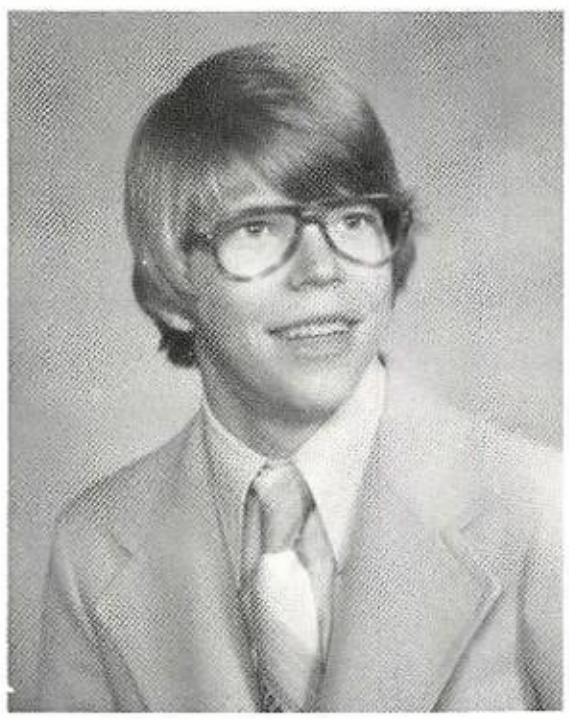
Football 3,4 ... likes outdoor activities ... came Junior year from St. Paul, Minnesota ... pet peeve: people littering out West ... ambition: to have a log cabin in the mountains ... ''Butch''

STEVE HORN

JUDY HAFNER

''Get your act together!'' ... fire red hair ... ambition: music major and working with kids ... pet peeve: when people label others ... talkative ... Basketball 2; Intramurals 2; Library Aid 4; Choir 4; Sym. Band 3,4; Pep Band 1,2; Chorus 1



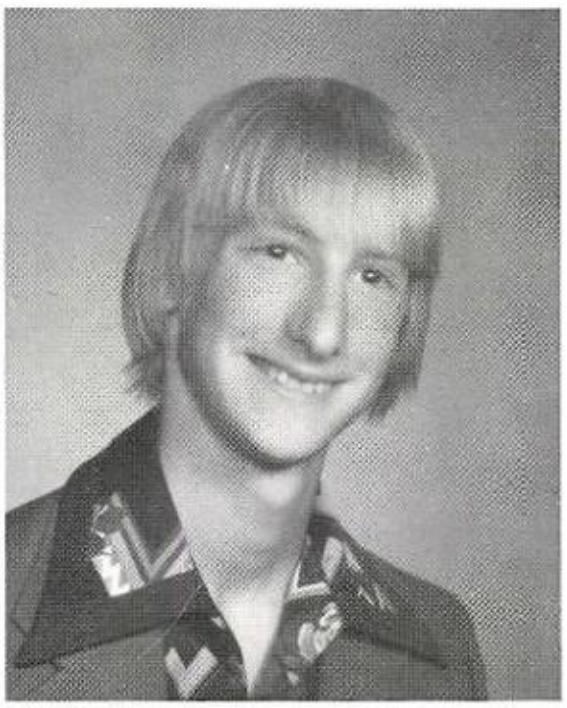


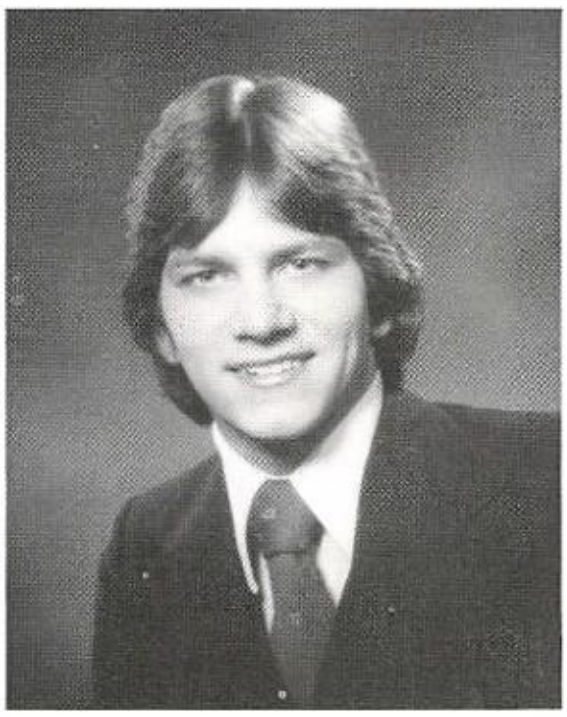
Intramurals 1,2,3,4; Stats 1,2,3,4 ... ambition: to make $25,000 a year ... likes eating and the Dallas Cowboy Cheerleaders ... would like to be as tall as Dave Luethy ... ''Schned''

NED HOVIE

ROBERT JAEGER

''Mic Jager'' ... wants to be an engineer ... seldom heard ... likes model railroading ... Intramurals 1,2,3,4



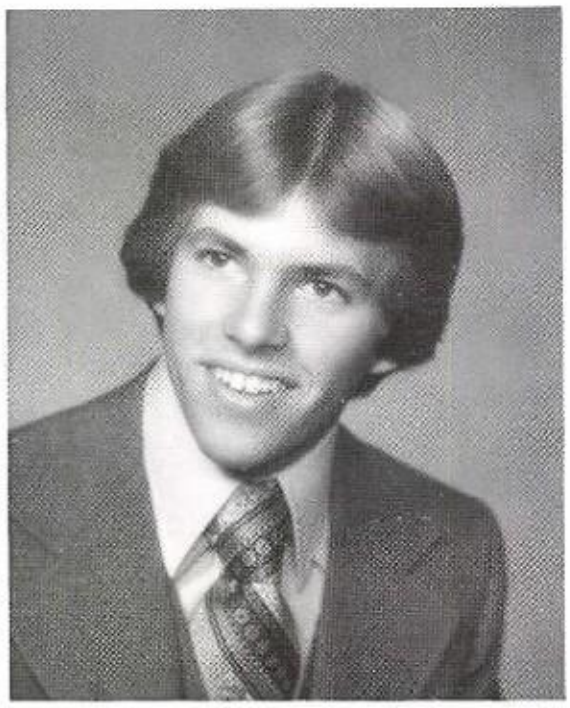


Football 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2; Wrestling 1; P.U. Cheerleader 4; Gym Leader 4 ... drives a nice little red TR-7 ... pastime: women ... ambition: to become rich and famous ... likes Katie Wartick ... ''I don't believe you did that.''

DEAN KENNEDY

RICK JAHNKE

''Junky'' ... ambition: to be a carpenter ... dislikes hypocritical people ... likes to tie flies, hunt and fish ... Football 2,3,4; Baseball 1; Wrestling 1,2,3

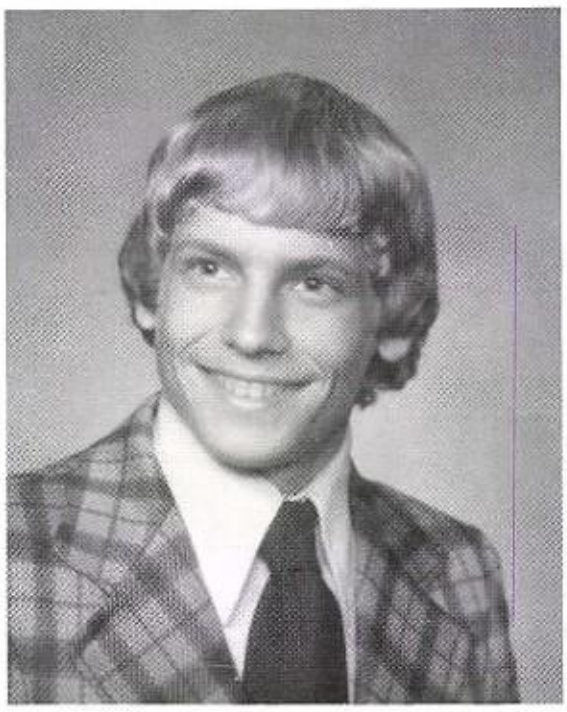


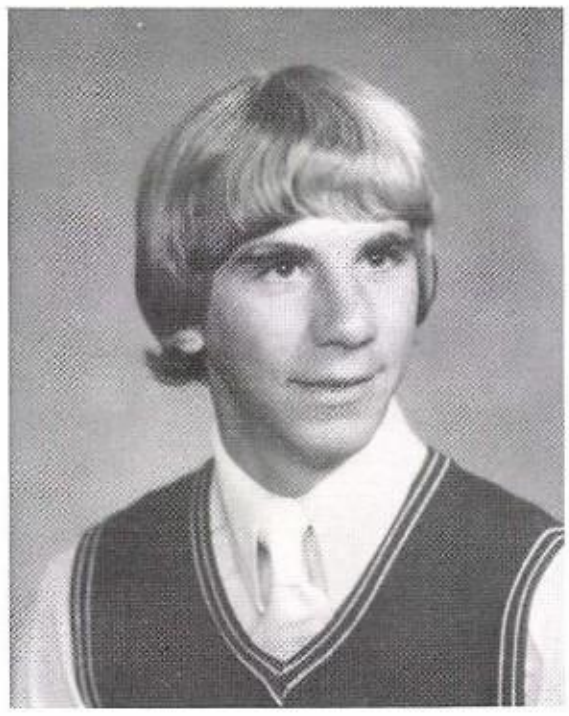
Track 4; Caf. Helper 3,4; Musical 4; Drama 3,4; Stage Crew 1,2 ... always a kind word ... ambition: speech pathologist ... ''Do you have any food you don't want?'' ... pet peeve: getting up early on Saturday morning ... big smile ... ''Knut''

JAN KNUTSON

MICHAEL S. KADOLPH

Builds electronic games ... pet peeve: cafeteria food ... Packer backer ... patented walk ... ambition: to be successful ... Football 2; Cross Country 1,3; Intramurals 1,4; Office Aid 4; Chapel Usher 1,2; ChiRho Club 4; Computor Club 3; C.B. Club 3,4; Sym. Band 4; Pep Band 4; Varsity Band 1,2,3; Drama 1,2,3,4



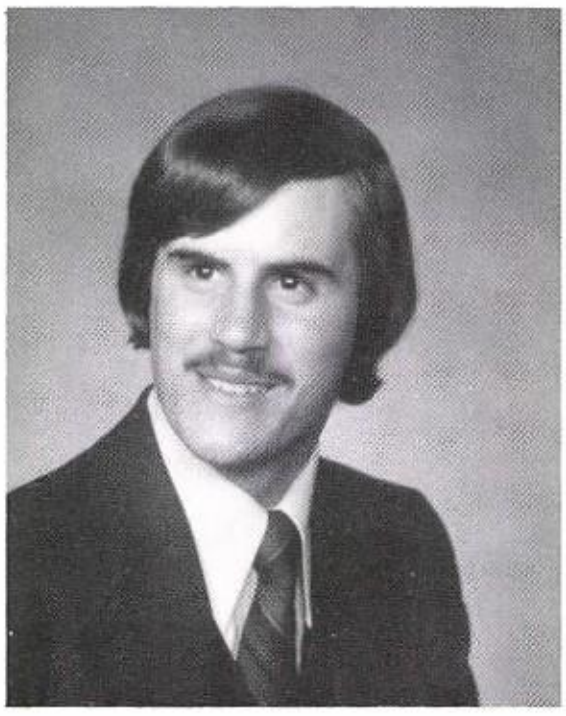


Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Intramurals 4; P.U. Cheerleader 4; Gym Leader 3; Choir 4 ... quiet ... likes to hunt ... doesn't have much to say

DARYL KOHLMEYER

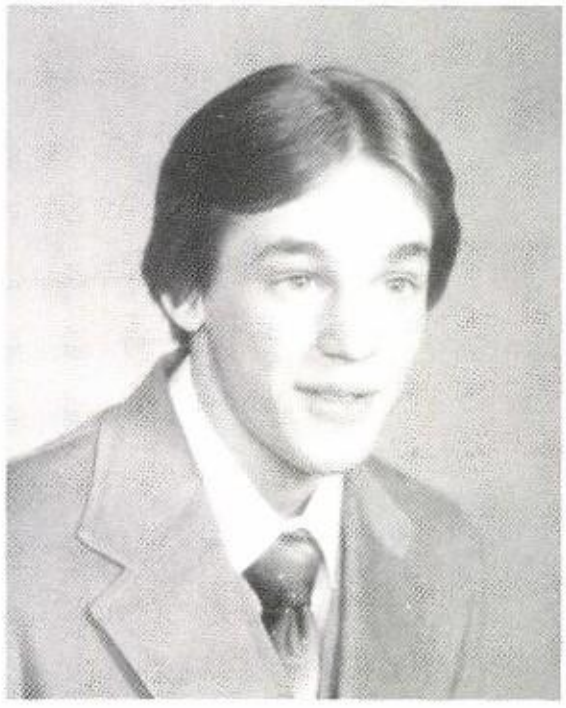
KEVIN KAIS

''Chaos'' ... Brewers fan ... ambition: to play baseball in the major leagues ... ''What a drag.'' ... builds models ... Baseball 2,3,4; Golf 3; Intramurals 2,3,4; Gym Leader 4; ChiRho Club 3



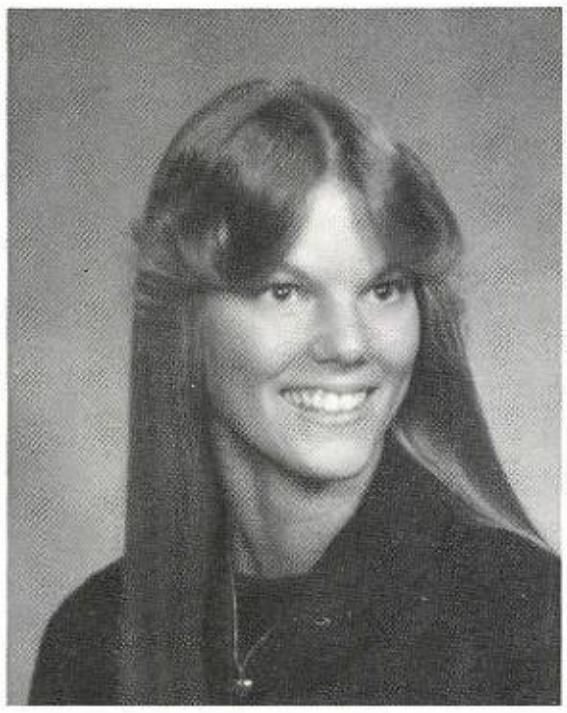
DAVID KAPHINGST

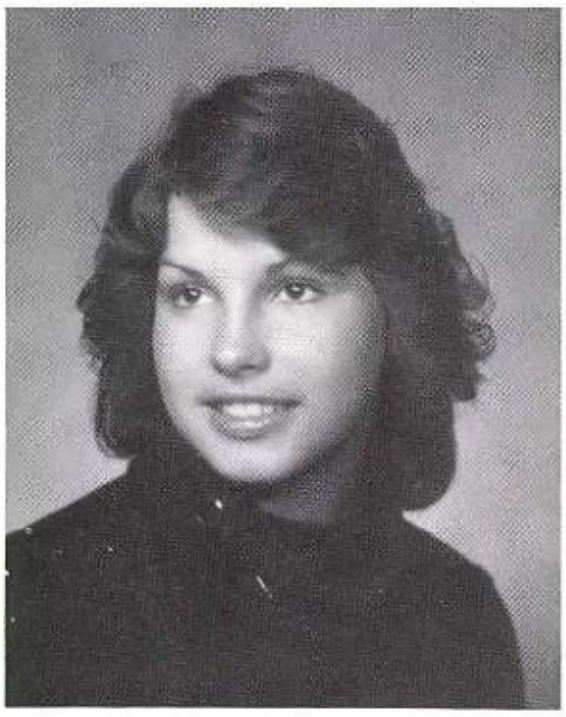
''Daves'' ... ambition: computor science engineer ... sings in class ... prankster ... likes to ''catch tunes'' ... Intramurals 1,2,3,4; Manager 1,2,3; Groundskeeper 1,2,3; Drama 3,4



JULIE ANN KAPHINGST

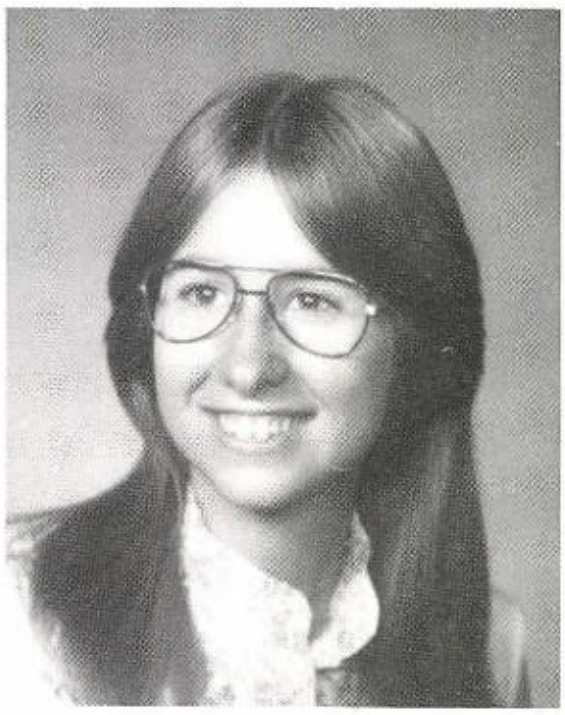
''Ju'' ... ambition: teacher ... pretty hair ... friendly ... ''Cool your jets.'' ... likes to sew ... Volleyball 2; Track 1,2,4; Cheerleader 2,3,4; Class Vice-Pres. 3,4; Library Aid 3; ChiRho Club 3,4; Pep Club 3; Stage Crew 2





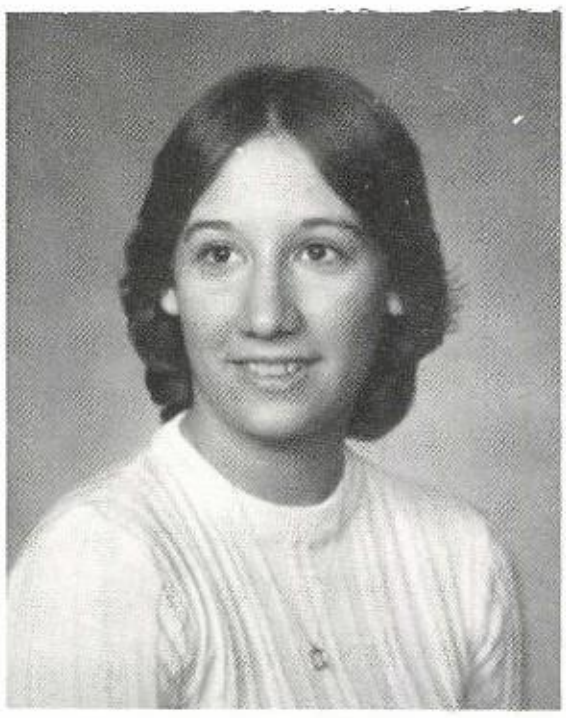
Track 1,2; Class Secretary 1,2,3; Exec. Board 4; Caf. Helper 2; Gym Leader 4; Choir 4; Sym. Band 3,4; Pep Band 1,2,3,4; Varsity Band 1,2; Make-up 2 ... Homecoming Queen ... pet peeve: Miss Piggy ... hobby: showing her horse ... ambition: florist ... carefree ... nice clothes ... likes to dance

KARA KOPAC



Library Aid 2 ... likes watching ''Soap'' ... ambition: to be a bum ... Rolling Stones fan ... ''That's repulsive!'' ... carefree

BARBARA KRAFT



Volleyball 2,3,4; Track 1; Cheerleader 2; Class Treasurer 2,3,4; Choir 4 ... excitable ... sunny personality ... ''What's for lunch?'' ... energetic ... ''Pete''

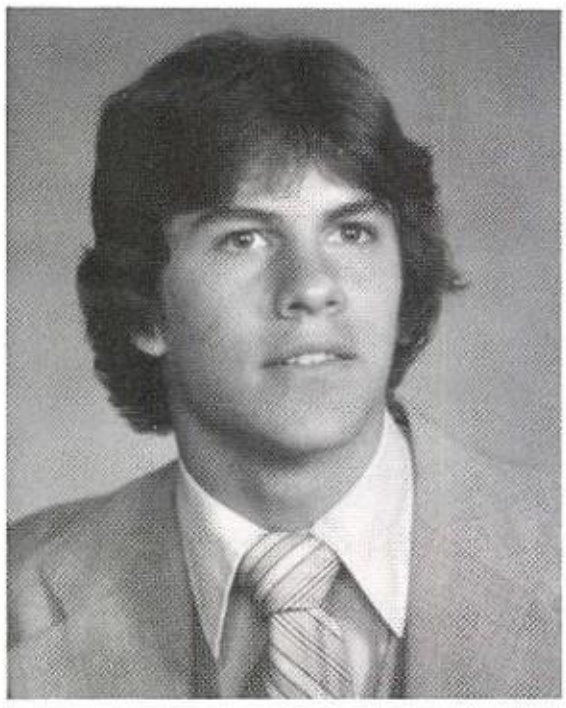
KARYN KREBS

LAURIE KRIMPELBEIN

Came Junior year ... likes murder movies ... seldom heard ... pet peeve: cliques ... Library Aid 4

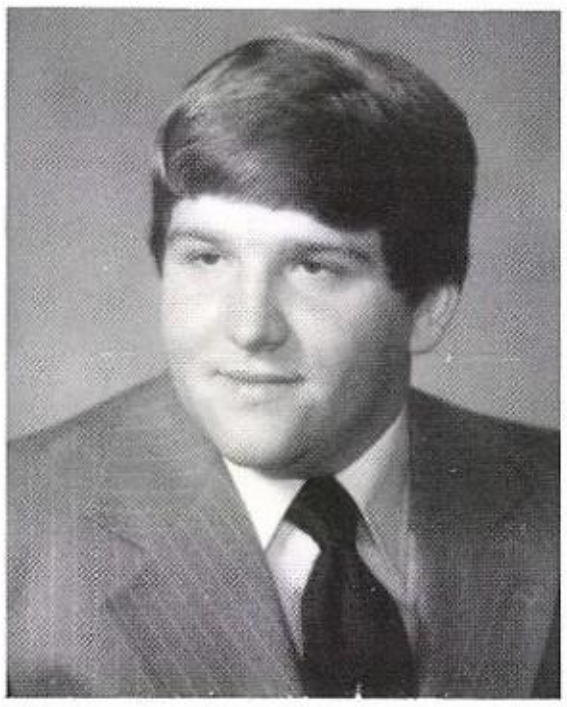
JIM KUCHLER

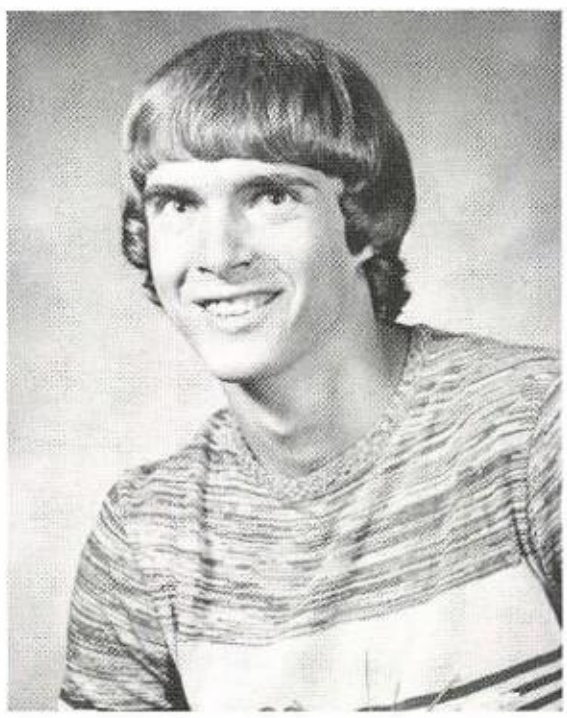
Likes the outdoors and girls ... Homecoming King ... good actor ... outgoing ... world wide traveler ... bound to be a success ... Football 1,2; Wrestling 1; Intramurals 3,4; Track 4; Chapel Usher 4; Audio Visual Aid 2,3,4; Choir 2,3,4; Troubadours 3,4; Musical 4; Drama 2,3,4; Stage Crew 4



DAVID LADWIG

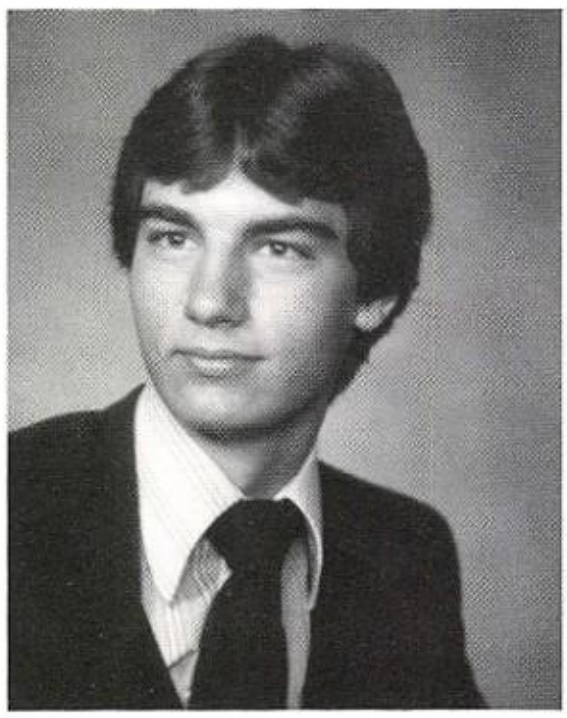
''Ernie'' ... reserved ... hopes to earn a lot of money ... likes to watch all sports ... Football 2; Baseball 1,2; Intramurals 1,2,3,4





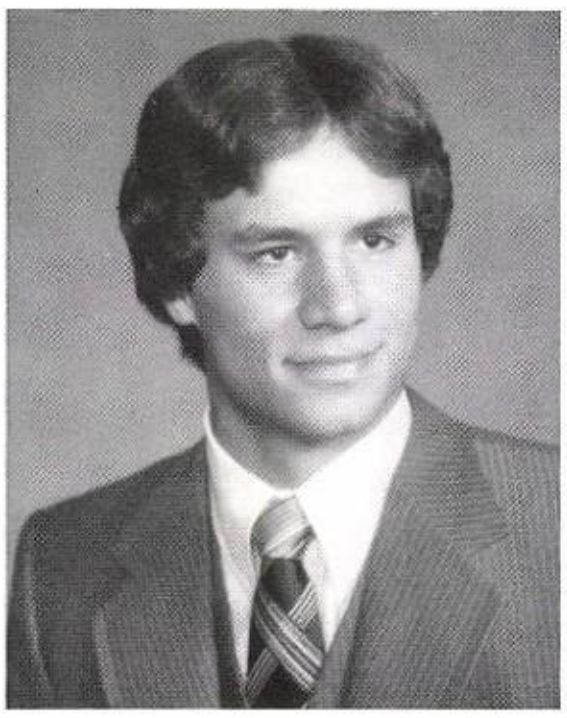
Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3; Intramurals 4; ... has a large farm up north ... likes to hunt ... wants to be a millionaire ... ''Free''

JEFFREY D. LOE



Basketball 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1; Track 2; Cross Country 2,3,4; Gym Leader 3,4; Receptionist 3; Choir 4 ... the answer man ... pet peeve: disco ... ''Fine'' ... ambition: to graduate ... ''Staff''

STEVEN LONGSTAFF



Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Track 1; NHS 4; Sym. Band 1,2,3,4; Jazz Lab 2,3,4; Brass Choir 2,3,4 ... ambition: to be an engineer, All-American football player and All-American basketball player at the same time ... exceptionally tall ... ''Who cares? I'm a senior!'' ... ML basketball star ... ''Ludy''

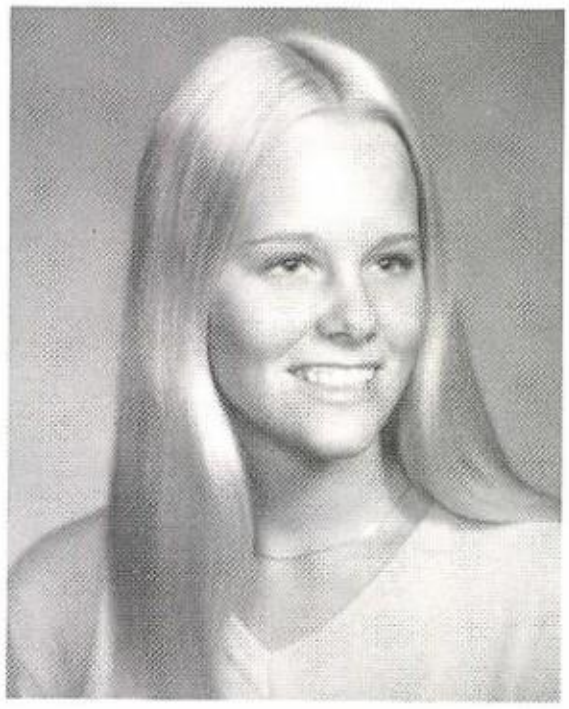
DAVID LUETHY

LOIS LANGE

''Lo'' ... ambition: medical research scientist ... came Junior year from Seward, Nebraska ... ''I don't get it.'' ... pet peeve: calling a drinking fountain a bubbler ... easy going ... Basketball 3; NHS 3,4; Dept. Help 4; Thespians 4; Orchestra 4; Musical 4; Drama 3,4

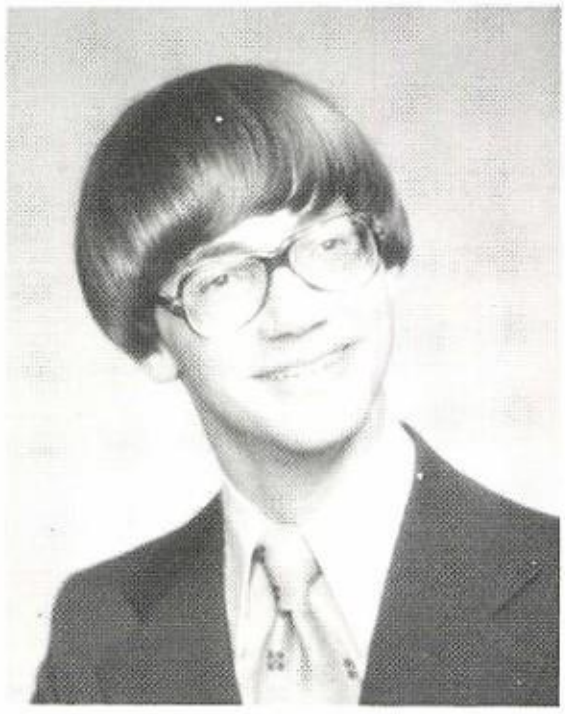
LUANN LANKE

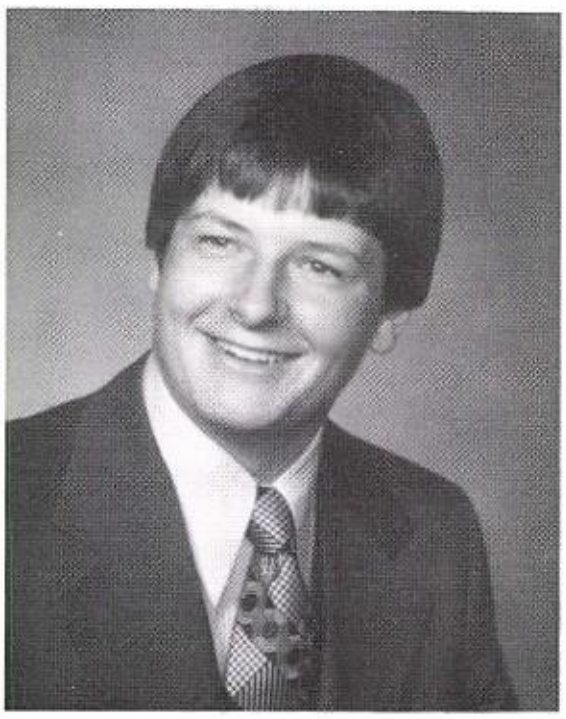
Drama enthusiast ... long silky hair ... friendly smile ... likes to travel ... plays raquetball ... energetic ... Gym Leader 3; Dept. Help 4; Musical 4; Drama 1,2,3,4; Stage Crew 2; Make-up 2; Usher 2



RICHARD LESKE

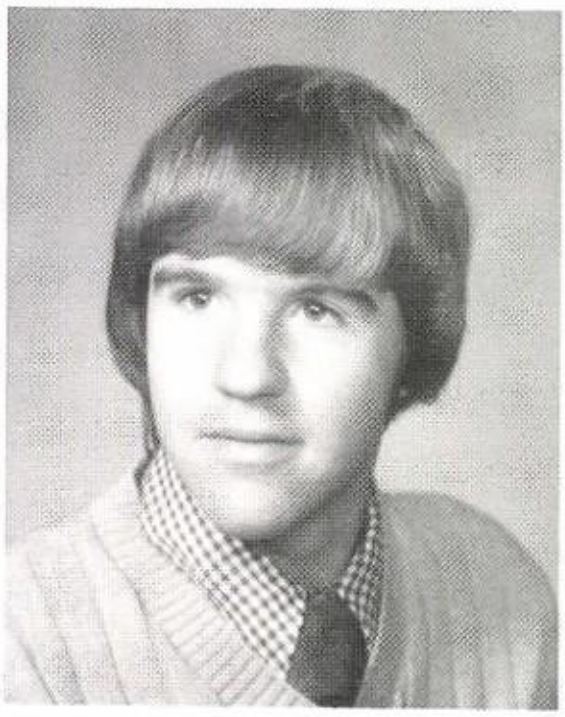
''Rich'' ... quiet ... unbelievable intelligence ... ''Left On!'' ... well informed on astronomy ... ambition: to have an ambition ... ''when in doubt, ask Richard!'' ... Phalanx 3,4; NHS 3,4





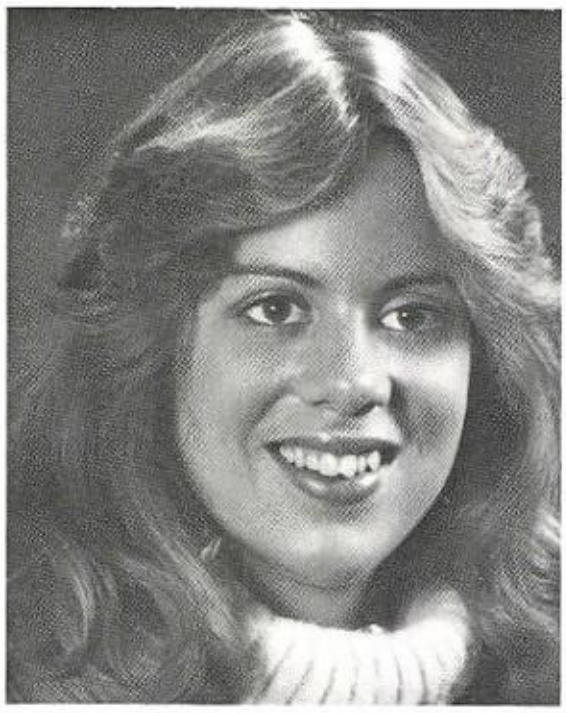
Football 2; ChiRho Club 3,4; ... All Star Wrestling fan ... ambition: to get something out of school ... likes to tell jokes ... pet peeve: vectors ... ''But Nooooo!''

KEVIN MAJORS



C.B. Club 3; ... walks with a bounce ... came Sophomore year from Whitnall ... likes cars and racing ... seen but not heard

BOB MAYER

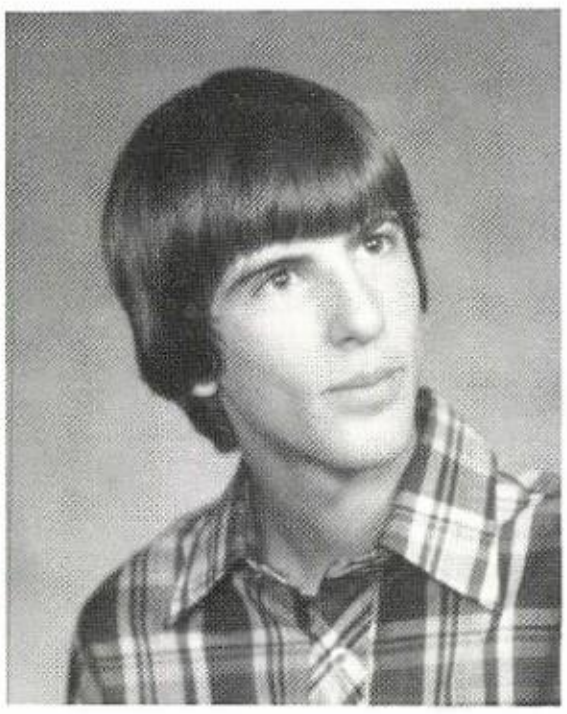


Stats 3; Intramurals 1,2; Pom Pons 1,2,4; Office Aid 4; Gym Leader 3; Asst. Coach 3; Choir 4; Make-up 3,4 ... talkative ... big eyes ... likes the muppets ... ''What can I say?'' ... ''Mice''

JULIE LYNN MEISSLER

ABBY MILLER

''Dingbat'' ... pet peeve: when people call her Abigail ... long fingernails ... red hair ... likes going to concerts ... Library Aid 3,4

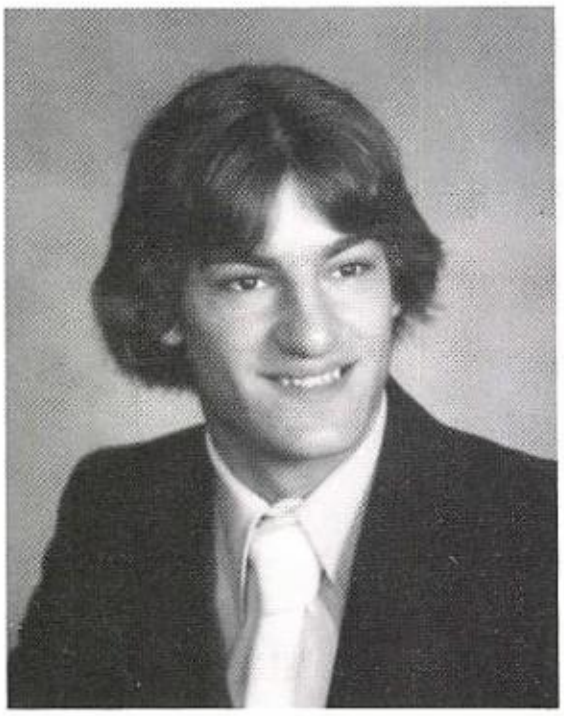


Never in a hurry ... the quiet type ... shy

WILL PAUTZ

MONICA MISSUN

''Moopie'' ... likes a good time ... cute expressions ... quiet until you get to know her ... ambition: interior decorator ... Track 3,4; Receptionist 3

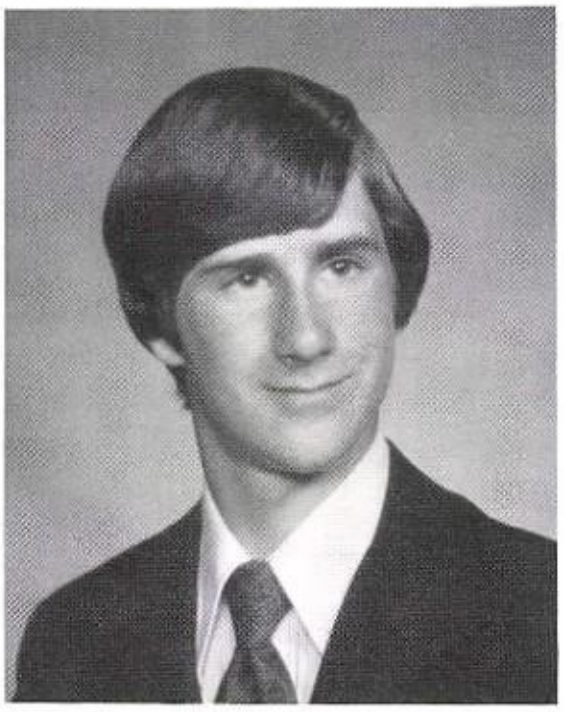


Football 1,2,3,4; Intramurals 1,2; ... energetic ... dislikes ''The Butcher'' ... prankster ... wild and crazy ... hobby: racing

SCOTT PERKO

ROBERT MISSUN

''Bob'' ... pet peeve: vectors ... Math whiz ... All Star Wrestling fan ... ambition: to not go on welfare ... Intramurals 4

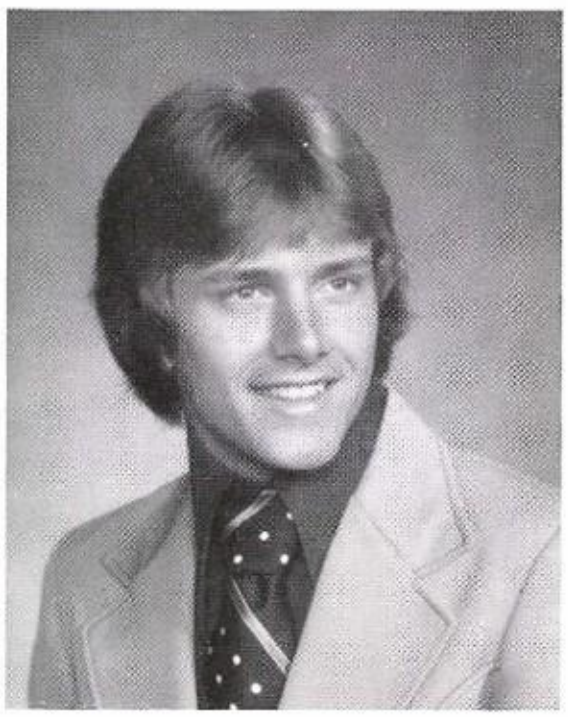


Wrestling 1; Choir 4; Sym. Band 1,2,3,4; Pep Band 1,2,3,4; Jazz Lab 3,4; Brass Choir 2,4; Varsity Band 3,4; Drama 4 ... pet peeve: people driving with their parking lights on ... optomistic ... good in music ... ambition: to be good at whatever he attempts to do ... easy to get along with ... good natured

TOM PIEPER

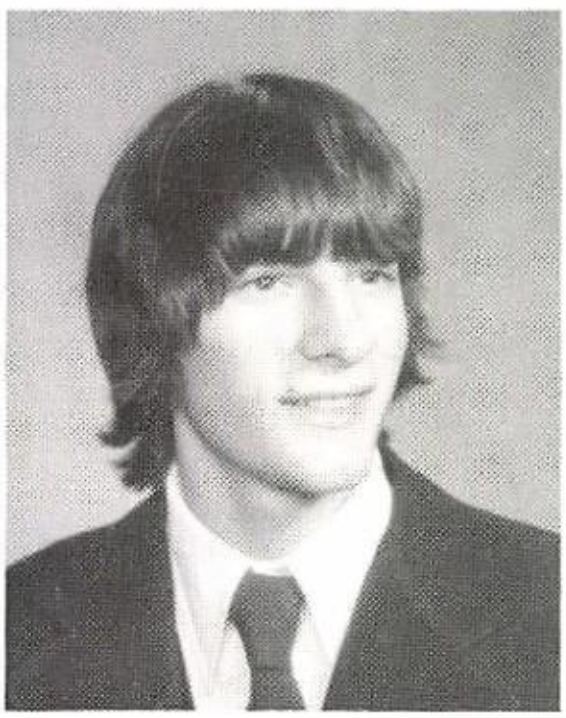
DWAYNE MITTAG

Future Steamfitter . . . ''Hurry up, Jahnke!'' . . . likes to bow hunt . . . tall . . . food fight patriot . . . Football 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1; Wrestling 1



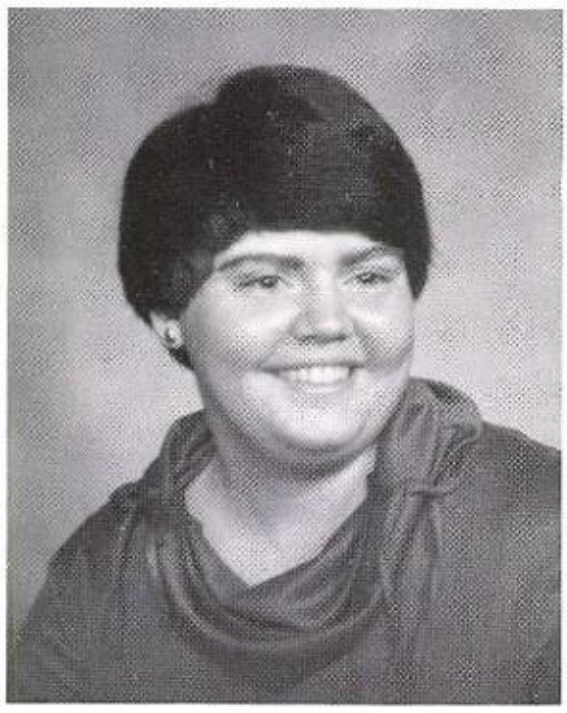
JIM OTTO

''Jimmy Page'' . . . ambition: to become famous . . . dislikes getting up in the morning . . . not much to say in school . . . Baseball 1; Cross Country 1; Intramurals 1,2,3,4; Sym. Band 2,3; Varsity Band 1,3



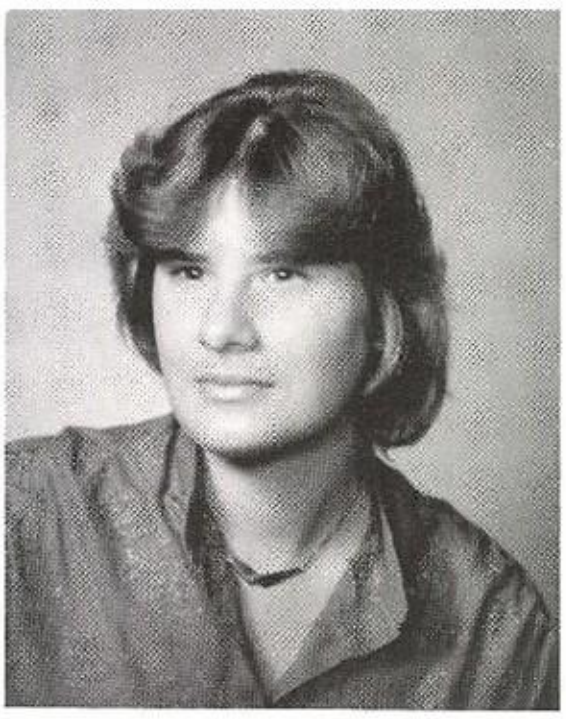
KATHY OTTO

''K.O.'' . . . plans on becoming a commercial artist . . . loves horses . . . ''Oh garbage!'' . . . remembered for her Viking costume . . . Basketball 1,2; Track 1,3,4; Manager 3,4; Office Aid 2,3,4; Chapel Usher 3,4; ChiRho Club 4; Pep Club 3; Drama Usher 4



Basketball 1; Track 1,2; Manager 2,4; Caf. Helper 3,4; Library Aid 3; Chapel Usher 3,4; Gym Leader 4; Dept. Help 3; Phalanx 2,3 . . . asks questions . . . pet peeve: project adventure . . . nose always in a book . . . headed for a ranch in Montana . . . ''Sandy''

SANDRA POTTERTON



Volleyball 1,2,3; Softball 1,2; Office Aid 1,2,3,4; Gym Leader 3,4; Choir 3,4; Troubadours 4; Come Together 1,2; Drama Usher 4 . . . wants to go into social work . . . ''Say What!?!'' . . . pet peeve: people chewing with their mouth open . . . likes dancing . . . ''Care Bear''

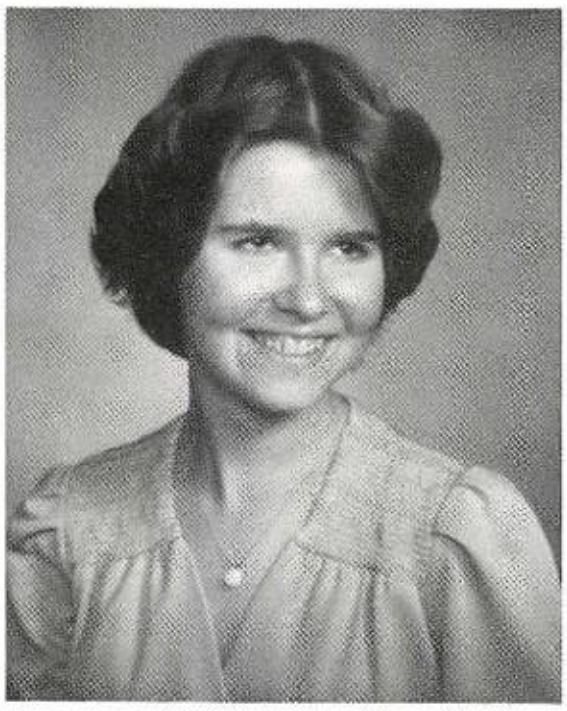
CARRIE REISS

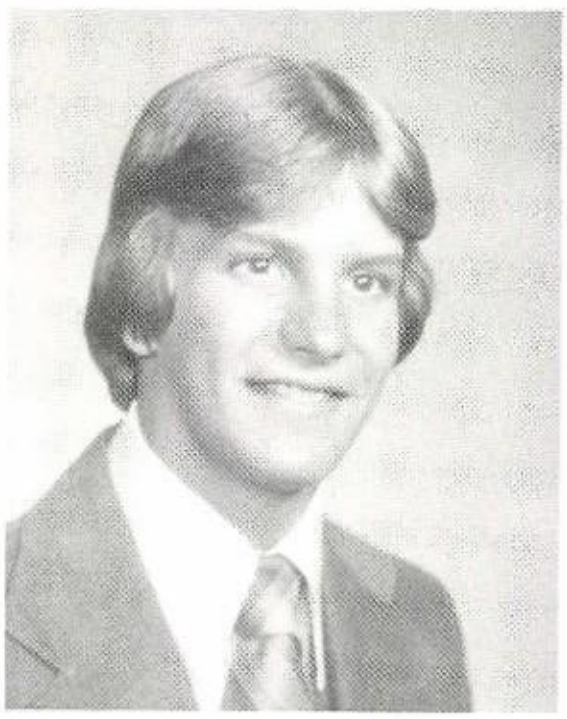
Intramurals 3; Coach Secretary 4; Musical 4; Stage Crew 4 . . . . short and sweet . . . pretty eyes . . . wants to live out West . . . sews nice clothes . . . likes camping

HEIDI RESCH

EVELYN RETZLAFF

''Eve'' ... came Sophomore year ... seldom heard ... ambition: to get married ... serious ... Phalanx 4; Tennis 4; Library Aid 3,4





Football 2; Cross Country 4; Wrestling 1,2,3,4; Intramurals 4; Tennis 2; Troubadours 4 ... ''Free day!'' ... enjoys weight-lifting and spending money ... dislikes Phythicth clath ... hopes to become a rich engineer ... pets: two sisters ... ''Daves''

DAVID J. SCHULDT

VALERIE RIEDEL

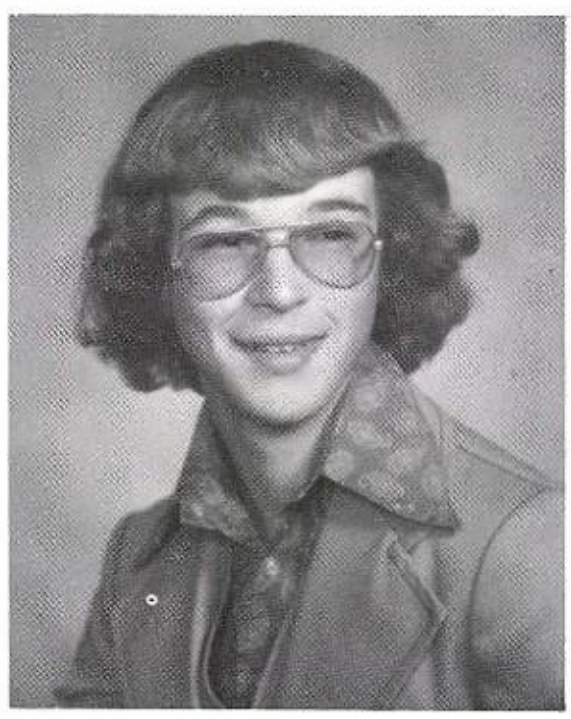
''Val'' ... loves to laugh ... future fashion designer ... disco enthusiast ... argumentative ... Basketball 2; Softball 1,2; Pom Pons 2; Class Pres. 1; Choir 2,3,4; Troubadours 4; Come Together 1,2

Track 2,4; Pom Pons 2,3,4; Class Secretary 4; NHS 3,4; Caf. Help 3,4; Coach Secretary 3 ... Mac's hostess ... ''Does anybody have some gum?'' ... pet peeve: having to take the trays up at lunch ... shy ... wants to go into journalism and German ... ''Fur''

JENNY SCOTT

CAROL RISKE

Willing worker ... likes to read and listen to music ... conscientious ... wants to become a pediatrician ... Library Aid 2,3,4

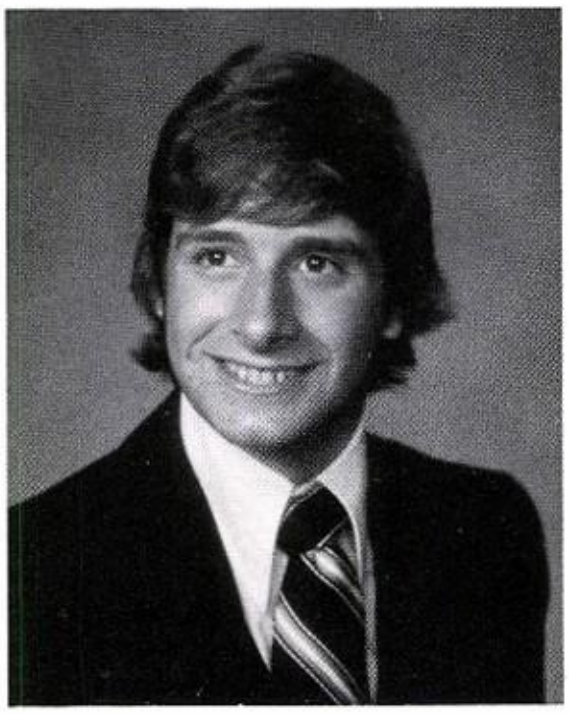


Track 1,2; Cross Country 2; ... seen but not heard ... wants to go to MATC and pursue electronics ... plays the guitar

TIM SERKOWSKI

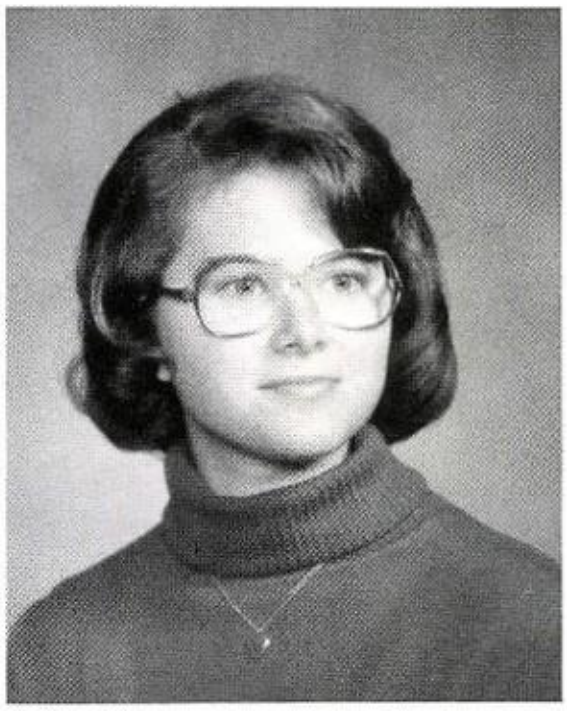
JAY M. SCHAEFER

''Jota'' ... our own Joe K-Mart ... ambition: to become Miss America ... sense of humor ... mischievious ... easy to get along with ... Intramurals 3,4; Spectrum 1; Class Pres. 4; Tennis 3,4; Choir 4; Sym. Band 1,2,3,4; Pep Band 1,2,3,4; Jazz Lab 1,2,3,4; Brass Choir 1,2,3,4; Varsity Band 4; Musical 4; Drama 2,4



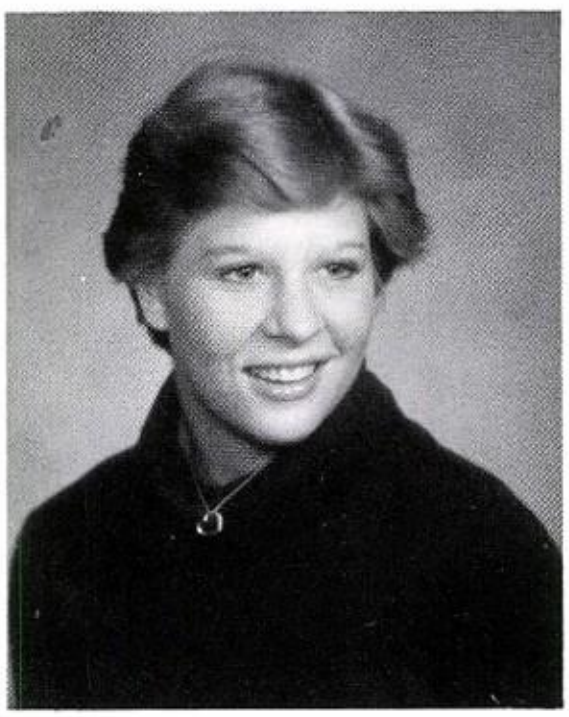
AILEEN SCHERER

Likes days off from school ... ambition: LPN or secretary ... noted for her rosy complexion ... quiet in class ... Caf. Helper 4



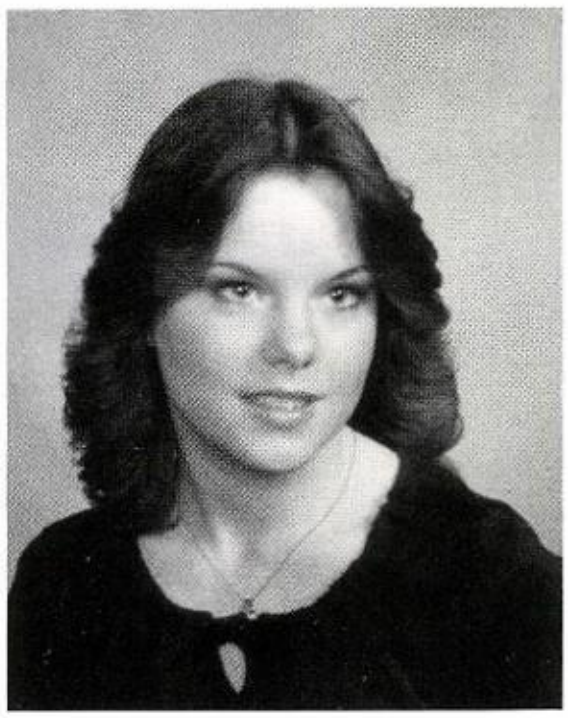
KAREN SCHOLTES

''Tweety-Bird'' ... heard but not seen ... Monty Python fan ... likes motorcycling and the outdoors ... her laugh is heard everywhere ... ambition: a teacher for children with learning disabilities ... argumentative ... gets her point across



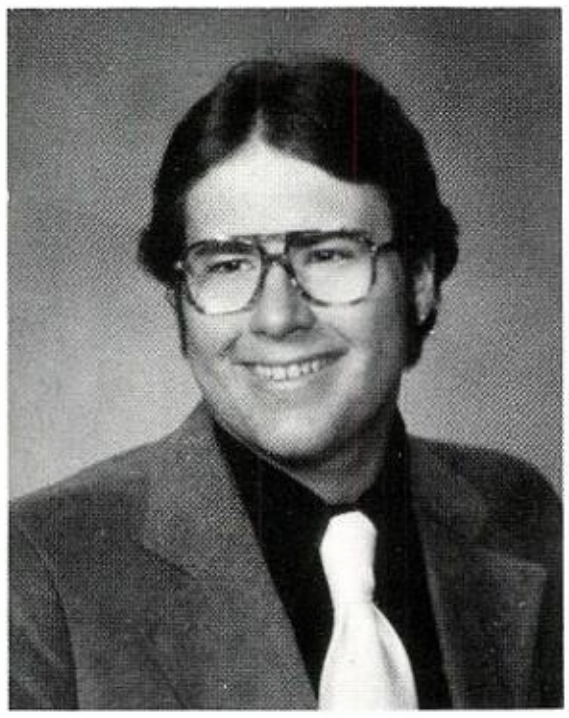
Basketball 1,2,3,4; Volleyball 1,2,3,4; Softball 1; Track 2; Cheerleader 2,3,4; Class Vice-Pres. 1,2; Exec Board 4; Caf. Helper 3; Library Aid 2; Gym Leader 4; ChiRho Club 4; Choir 3,4; Troubadours 1,2,3,4; Drama 2 ... hopes to last through college ... energetic ... ''Way lots'' ... likes to laugh ... active at school ... ''Wuss''

LISA ANN SHILLING



Intramurals 1,2,3; Gym Leader 4; Stage Crew 4; Make-up 4; ... pretty eyes ... high pitched voice ... wants to become a make-up artist ... short and cute ... ''Sim''

SHARI SIMRELL

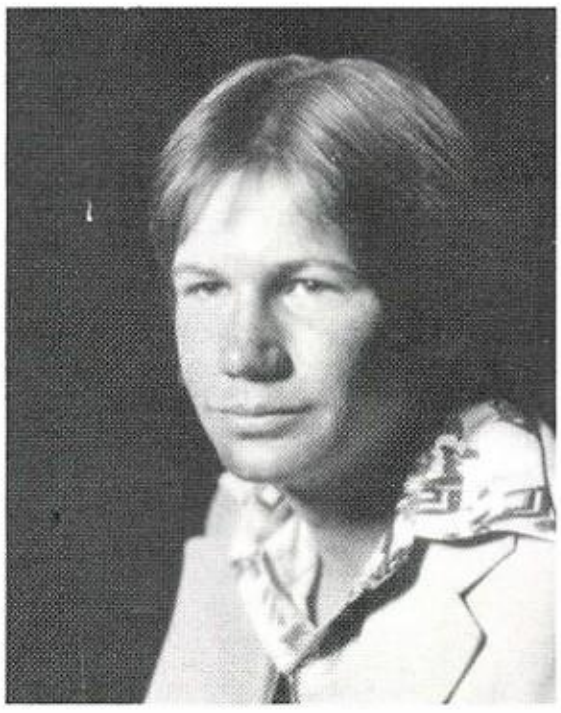


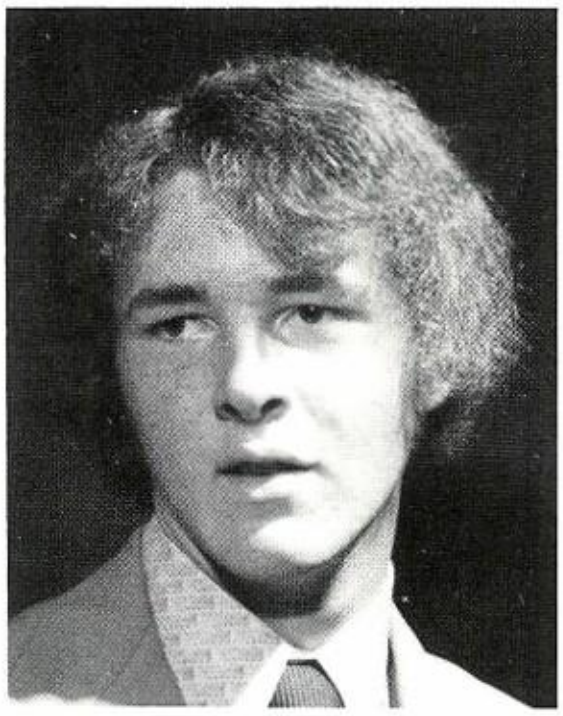
Football 1,2; Wrestling 1,2,4; Library Aid 3 ... ambition: to make it out of high school ... ''Must we?'' ... pet peeve: dress codes ... ML wrestler ... ''Skorz''

DAVID SKORZEWSKI

DONALD SMITH

''Speedy'' ... likes loose women ... hobby: partying ... elbow troubles during football ... quick temper ... tired of English classes ... Football 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2



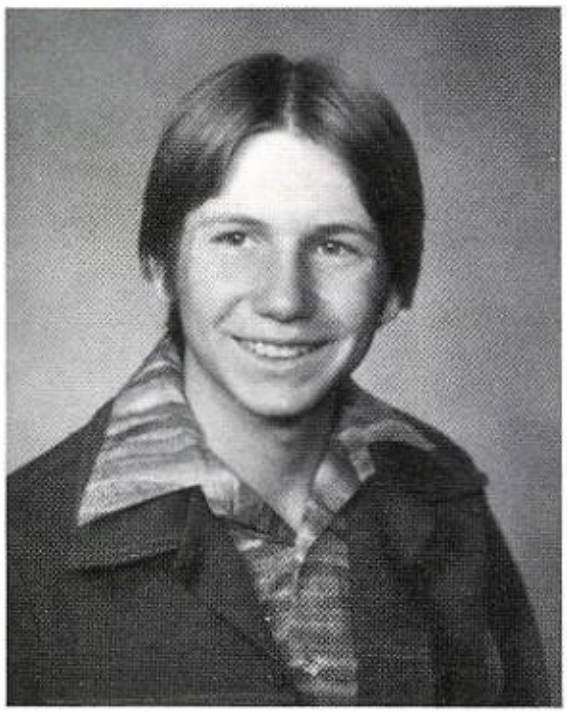


Baseball 1,3; Wrestling 1; Intramurals 4; Office Aid 3,4; Library Aid 2,3,4; Audio Visual Aid 2,3,4; Choir 4; Troubadours 4; Lighting 4; Drama Usher 4 ... hardly ever seen without his orange hat ... mischievious ... likes to shoot pool and hunt ... sense of humor ... future engineer ... ''Brillo''

MARK TUNKS

RON SMITH

''Rubber Ron'' ... future businessman ... likes to ''mess around'' ... pet peeve: his twin ... talkative ... ''Decent'' ... Track 4; Cross Country 1,2,3; Choir 2,3,4; Troubadours 4; Drama 3

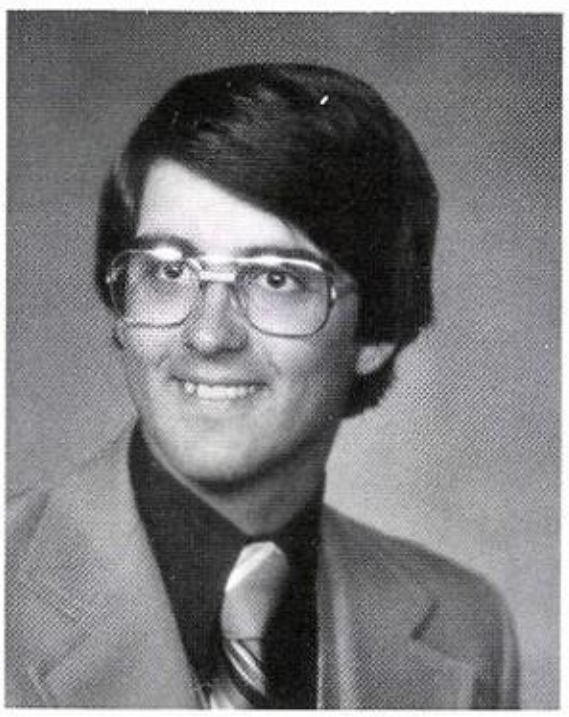


Track 4; Intramurals 1; Pom Pons 1,2,3; Drama 1,2 ... friendly to all ... short and sweet ... sense of humor ... fun to talk to ... came back to ML second semester of Senior year ... ''Wart''

KATIE WARTICK

ELIZABETH E. STACH

''Bethie'' ... ambitious ... always smiling ... an organizer ... ''Howdy'' ... wants to be manager of a corporation ... works at Cilento's ... short, but sweet ... Softball 1,2,4; Intramurals 1; Pom Pons 1,2,3,4; NHS 3,4; Caf. Helper 2,3,4; Chapel Usher 2,3,4; Dept. Help 3,4; Chi Rho Club 2,3,4; Musical 4; Drama Usher 2,3; Yearbook 1,2,3,4; Editor 2,3,4

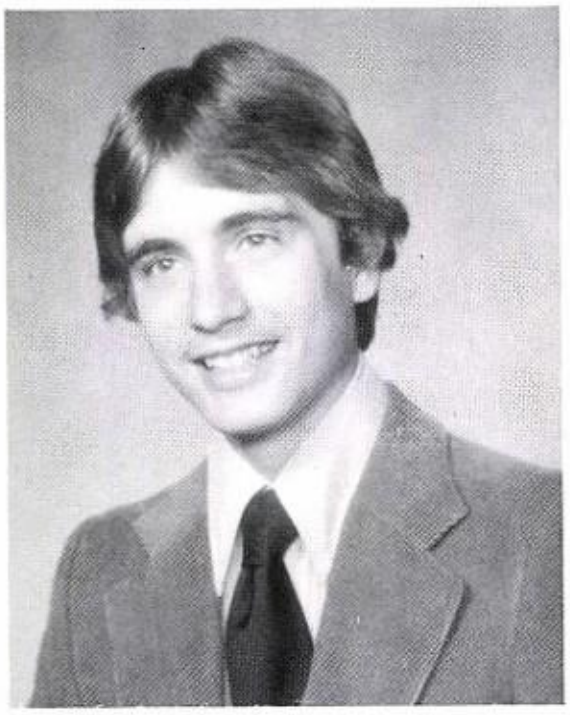


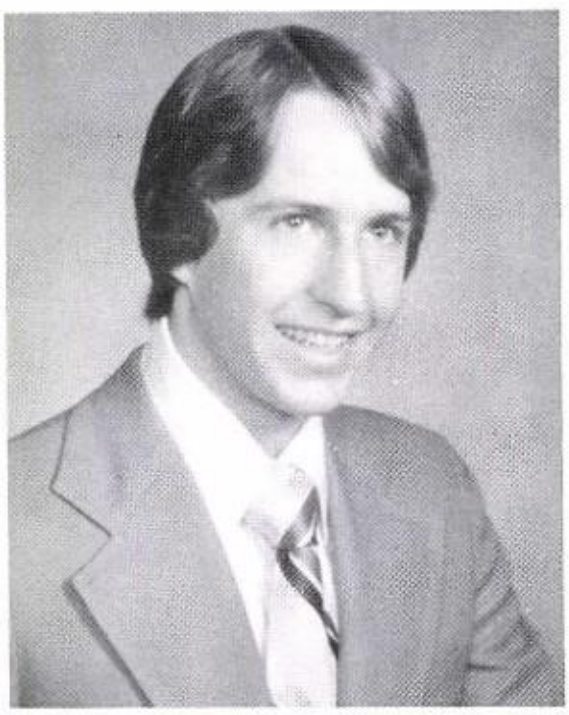
Football 1,2,3; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Intramurals 1,2,3,4; Manager 2; Chapel Usher 1,2,3,4; Groundskeeper 1,2,3,4; Receptionist 4 ... pet peeve: Freshman ... likes catching a few ''Z's'' ... ''No guts, no glory'' ... ambition: president of the unemployment line ... ''The Nightmare''

DEAN S. WEIL

GARY STELSE

''Gearhead'' ... pet peeve: having a wheel fall off your car in the school parking lot ... likes cars, dancing, and ''chics'' ... Football 2; Intramurals 1,2,3,4; Manager 2,3; Groundskeeper 3; Dept. Help 3; C.B. Club 3; Sym. Band 2,3; Varsity Band 1; Drama 4



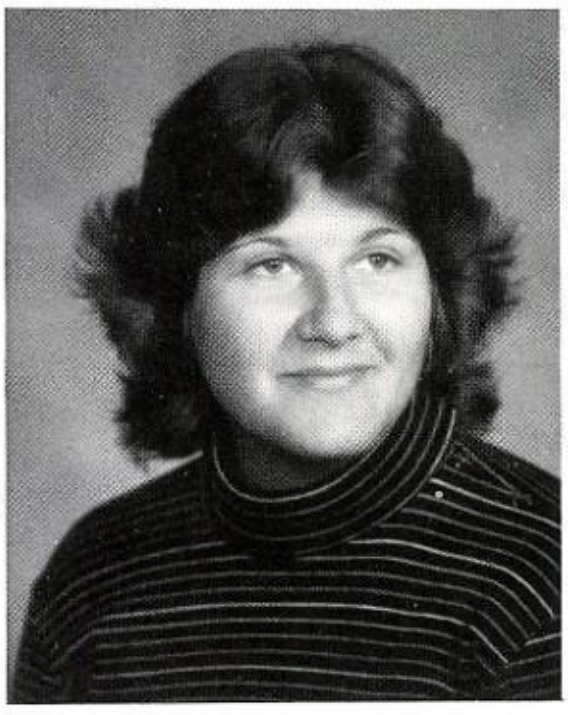


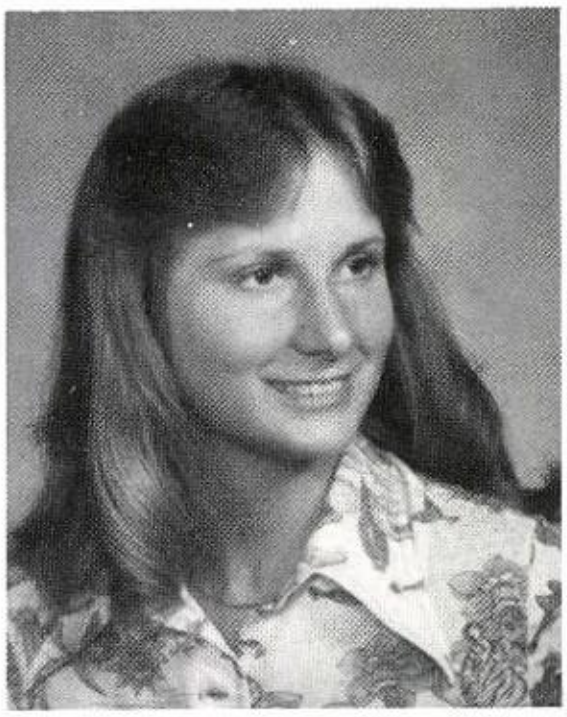
Sym. Band 1,2,3,4 ... sense of humor ... opens up with friends ... nice guy ... prankster ... ''Mikey''

PAUL WESSLER

LORI STRESING

''Maude'' ... pet peeve: waiting in long lines ... likes to smile ... ambition: detective ... ''Take a hike'' ... laugh all her own ... likes to go to plays



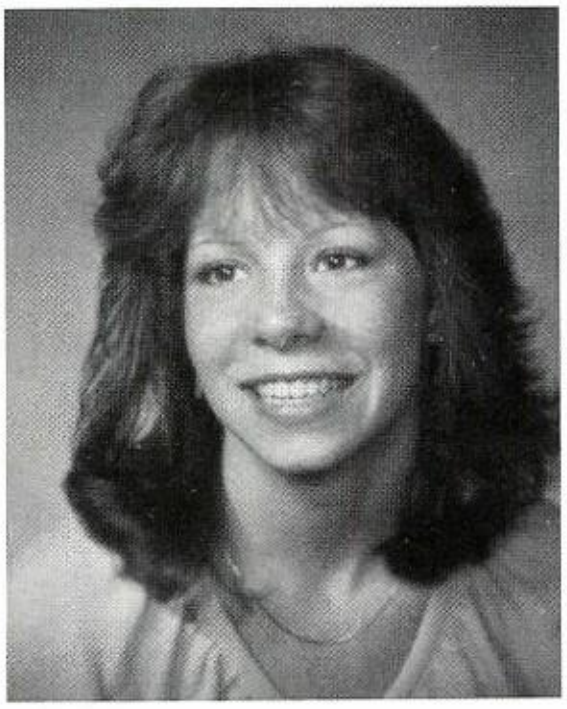


Sym. Band 3,4; Pep Band 2,3,4; Varsity Band 1,2 ... likes wine and cheese parties ... ''Howdy'' ... pet peeve: teacher's pets ... ambition: executive secretary ... ''Jo-Jo''

JOANN WOELFFER

SUSAN TOTH

''Susie Shoes'' ... came from Hamilton in Junior year ... freckles ... pet peeve: people calling her by her last name ... wants to be an accoutant ... Receptionist 3



Library Aid 4 ... talkative ... dislikes people sleeping in class ... collects stuffed bears .... ''Wulf''

KATHLEEN M. WULF

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ACTIVITIES

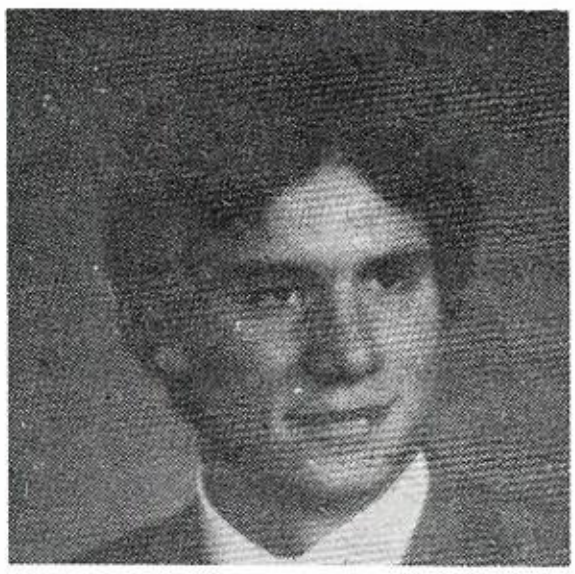
Lutheran Players Named To All-Star Teams

Dave Leuthy of Martin Luther and Marty Kohlwey of Milwaukee Lutheran have been selected as all-conference basketball players in the Midwest Prep and Metro conferences.

Leuthy, a 6-6 center for the Spartans, was chosen to the Midwest Prep first team. He is a member of Divine Shepherd Lutheran Church and a senior at Martin Luther.

Spartan coach Al Koepke said, "Dave definitely carried the team in rebounding and scoring. He's a good leader, and probably our offense kept him even a little below his potential."

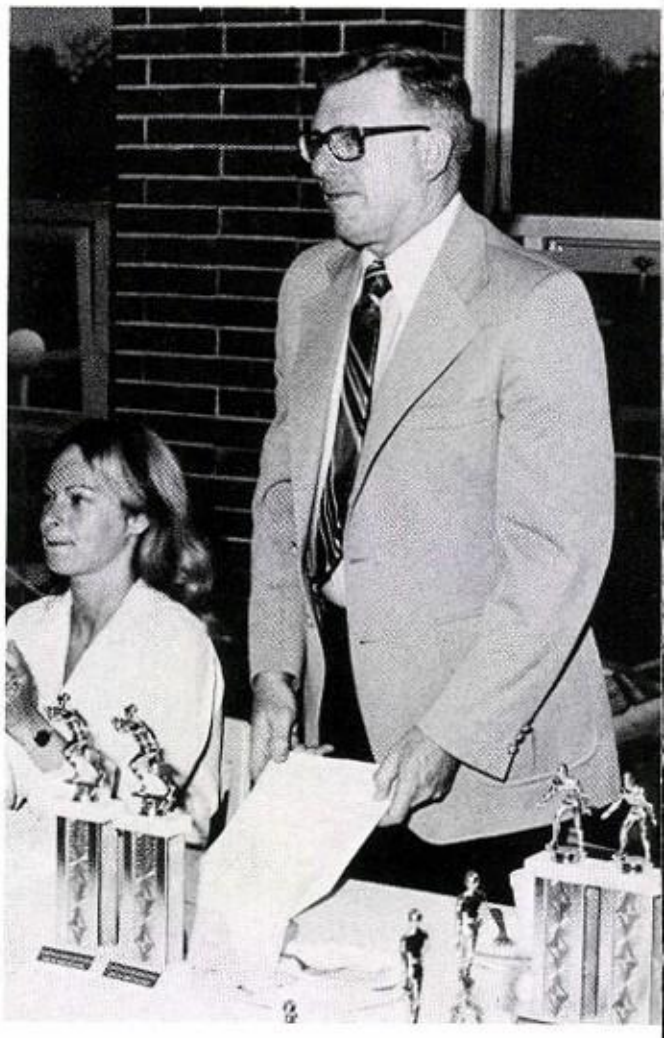
Leuthy averaged 14.4 points and 9.8 rebounds to lead the Spartans this year. Probably his best game came in the opening round of the State Regional against Wisconsin Lutheran. In what was expected to be a tough battle of two big men, Leuthy completley dominated Wisconsin Lutheran's center, finishing with 31 points, though the Spartans lost the game, 82-67.



Leuthy has made no definite plans for college yet, but plans to major in electrical engineering. Among his possibilities he mentioned Valparaiso University.

His coach said, "He can make just about any team he wants to. Dave's not just thinking all basketball, though. Number one is education, engineering."

Both Leuthy and Kohlwey will get a chance to attract some college coaches in the annual Easter Seals North-South Benefit All-Star game on April 7.



Martin Luther Dean Of Students Fortunate Winner

Gene Schneider, dean of students at Martin Luther High School, attended a Milwaukee Does basketball game in December because a family friend asked him and his daughter as guests; but that afternoon game was not the only gift he received that day. At a half-time drawing for various gifts, his name was drawn for the use of a 1979 Continental Mark V for one year! Gene says they really did not watch much of the second half of the game, eagerly anticipating picking up the car and driving it away after the game.

The dark red and white car, which has been purchased by one of the financial backers of the Does team, will be in the possession of the Schneider family until December of 1979.

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Lutheran High Schools To Present Musicals

Milwaukee Lutheran and Martin Luther High Schools have chosen the month of March to present their musical plays. The Milwaukee Lutheran community will have an opportunity to view two outstanding representatives of the American musical theatre on two successive weekends. Make your plans now.

Martin Luther High School has chosen to present Rodgers and Hammerstein's delightful musical comedy Oklahoma! Actors, actresses, singers, dancers, and musicians will reflect their talents on the nights of March 23 and 24 at 7:30 and at a matinee performance on March 25 at 3:00 p.m.

Oklahoma! is a story about the lives of people in the Oklahoma Territory at the turn of the century. Land has become the settling ground for both farmers and ranchers, with a coexistence that is sometimes far from peaceful!

Mrs. Marion Kloehn is directing the cast which includes both experienced and new performers. The romantic leads are played by Jim Kuchler (Elm Grove) as Curly and Laura Boyer (Our Father's) and Sandy Kurer (St. Paul's) double cast as Laurey. Jud Fry, the hired farm hand, will be played by Frank Cleppe (St. Paul's). Lois Lange (Brookfield) and Heidi Resch (Hales Corners) will take the role of Gertie Cummings, the girl who tries to break up the romance between Curly and Laurey. Portraying Laurey's hearty but lovable Aunt Eller will be Laura Dahl (St. Paul's) and Lynnette Schwechel (St. Paul's).

Humor comes in as cowboy Will Parker, played by Rick Barwa (Hales Corners), courts the all-for-fun farmer's daughter Ado Annie Carnes, played by Kara Kopac (North Cape, Caledonia) and Leslie Esche (Our Father's). The roaming Persian peddler will be portrayed by Jay Schaefer (St. John's-Cudahy), and Mark Tunks (Our Father's) will take the part of Annie's shotgun-in-hand father, Andrew Carnes.

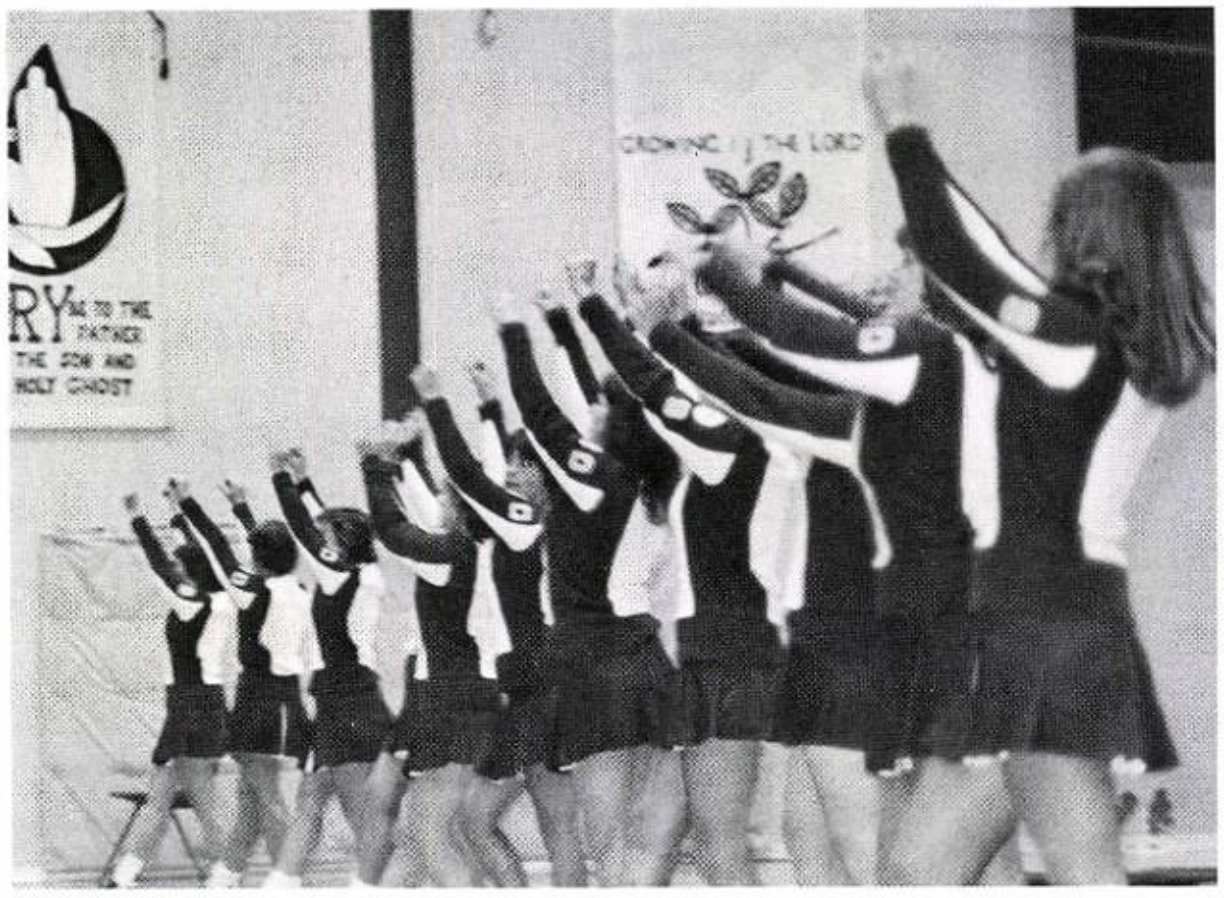
Many more students will take the supporting roles as they sing and dance their way under the spotlights.

The musical will be performed in the Fine Arts Center of Martin Luther High School, located at 5201 S. 76 Street in Greendale. For further information and ticket reservations, phone the school at 421-4000.

Two weekends filled with song and dance, story and action, presented by the young people of our two Lutheran High Schools

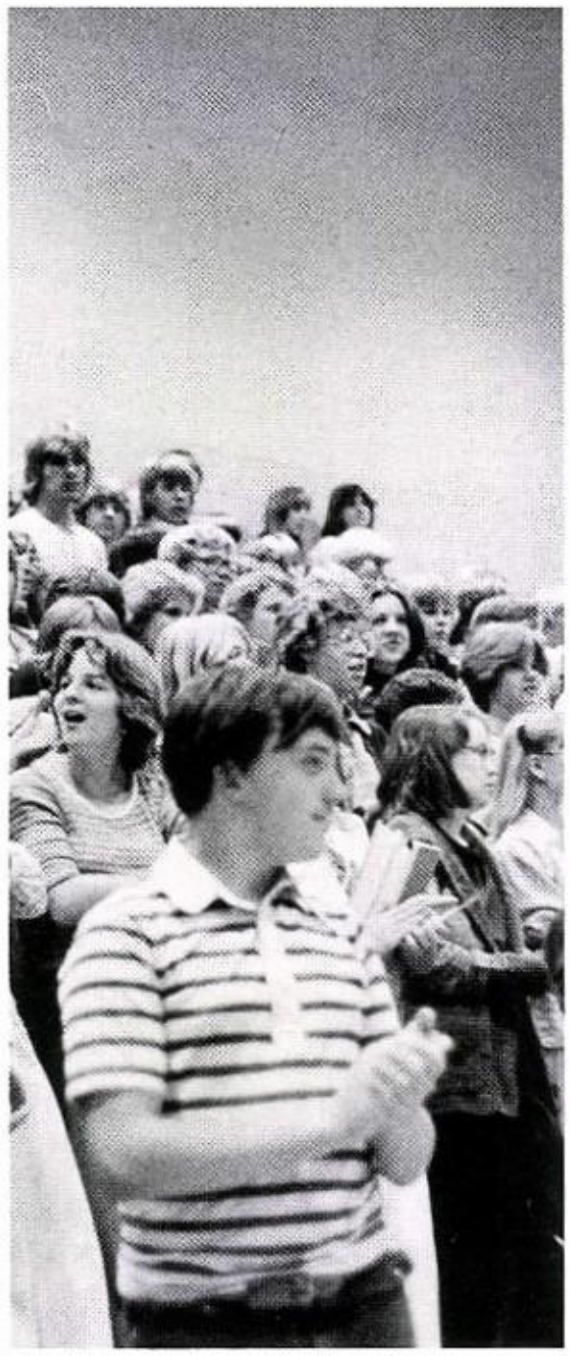
Pep Rally Builds School Spirit

On September 29, the student body was treated to this year's first pep rally. As with most pep rallies, its purpose was to create school spirit, which it succeeded in doing. Since it was the first one, it was also meant to welcome the Freshmen to Martin Luther, and the enthusiasm shown really made them feel at home. A great job was done by the Cheerleaders, Pomheads, and the band.



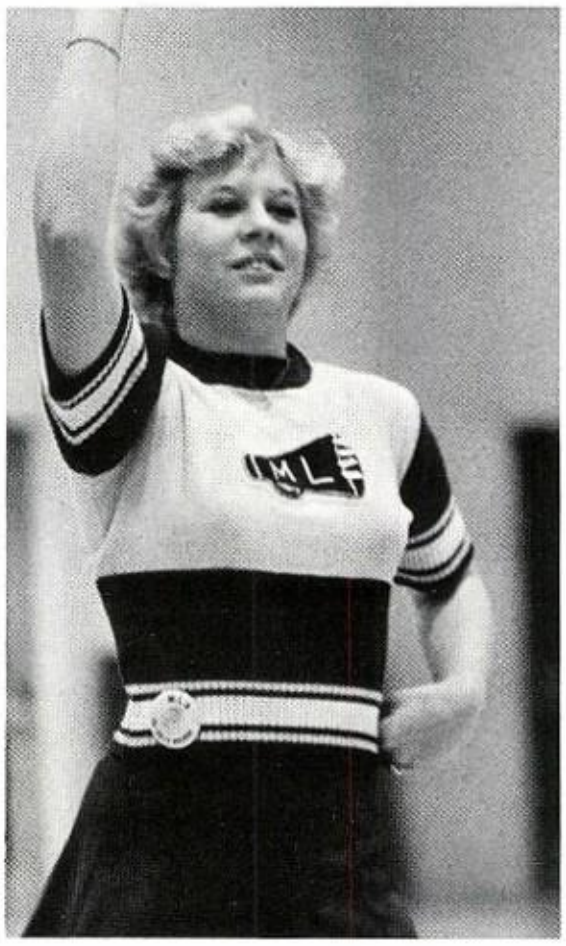
Now THAT'S raising spirit.

The cheerleaders hold a strategy meeting.

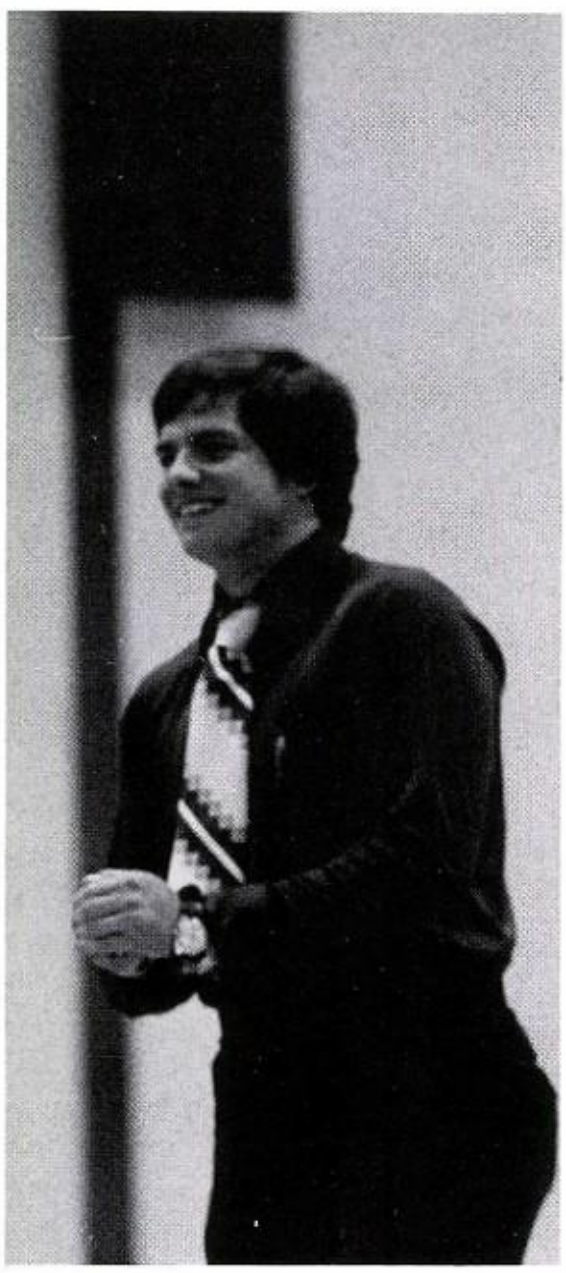


The crowd shows its approval — this is a lot better than classes!

Look out! It's an invasion of the Pomheads!



Yea Team!



Rick gets to make a speech.

And what would a pep rally be without the great music of the band?

Crowds "Flock" To The Chicken Dinner

The most essential thing to go with food (besides Alka-Seltzer) is drink!

The Men's Club Chicken Dinner was held on September 16th this year. Those who attended feasted on a great meal and also helped to improve the school by supporting the work of this worthwhile organization. It was a day of fun, fellowship, and good times for all involved(except, of course, for the chickens themselves, who, it is reported, did not appear to be too thrilled about the occasion).

Both young and old enjoy the fun and fellowship.

Having a good time.

A dissatisfied customer? Or a case for Alka-Seltzer?

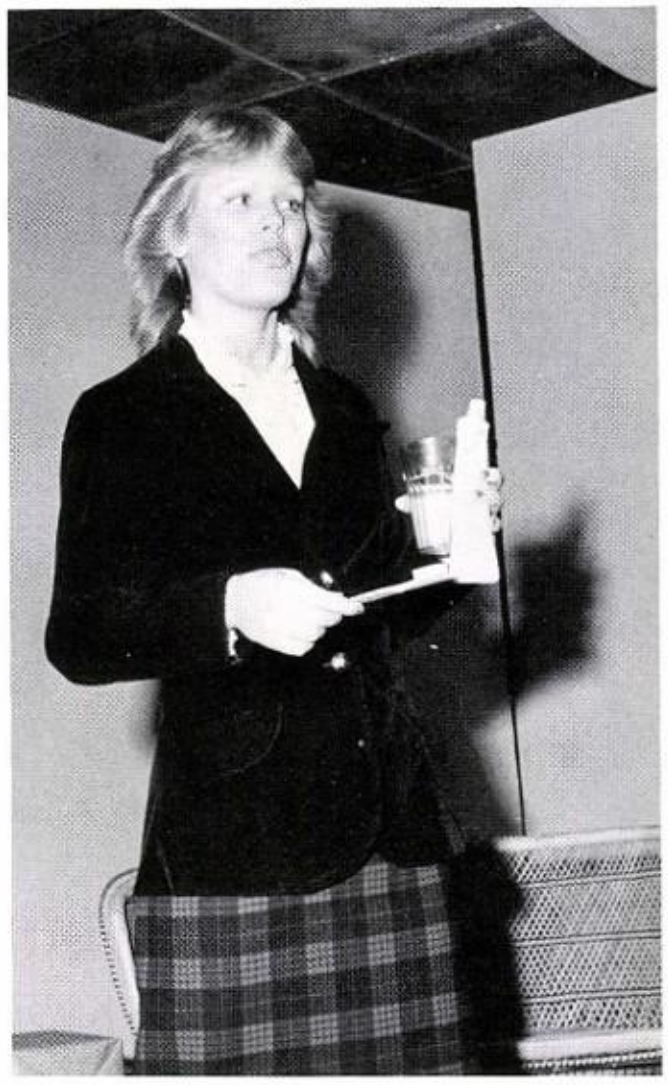
Feeding the multitudes.

"Give us this day our daily bread" . . . and chicken?

Our Hearts Were Young And Gay

Cornelia Otis Skinner.

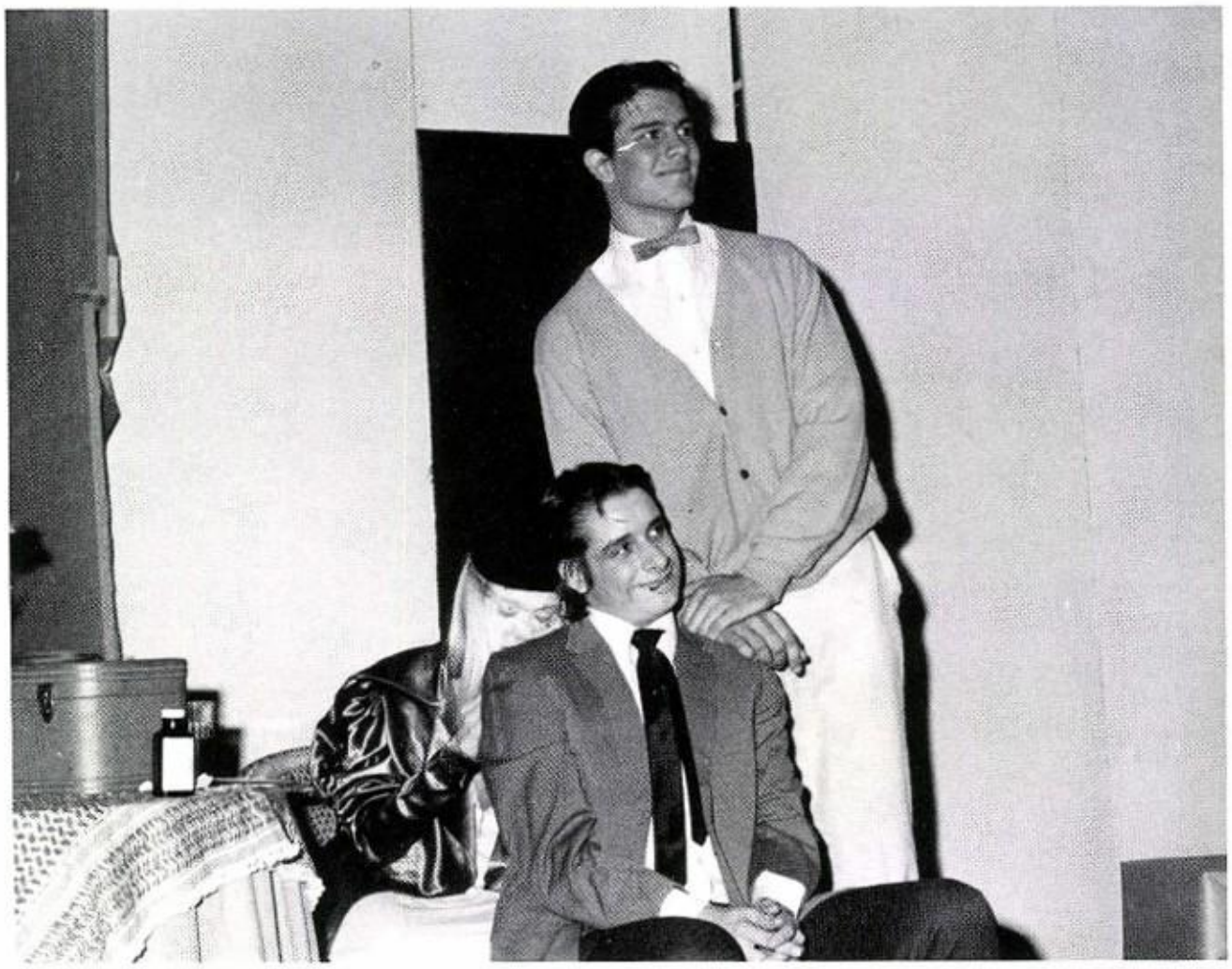
Monsieur de la Croix.



Winnifred Blaugh.

The 1978 Fall Play, Our Hearts Were Young and Gay, was the story of Cornelia Otis Skinner and Emily Kimbrough, two young ladies in the 1920's out to see the world, unchaperoned, for the first time, in search of fun, fame, and fortune. Naturally along the way they encounter some pretty exciting adventures and perils, such as measles, bedbugs, some fellow travelers (as well as some traveling fellows), and sophisticated Frenchmen.

It took many long hours of hard work and truly dedicated people to make this play the success that it was. Those who went to see it were all treated to some great entertainment.

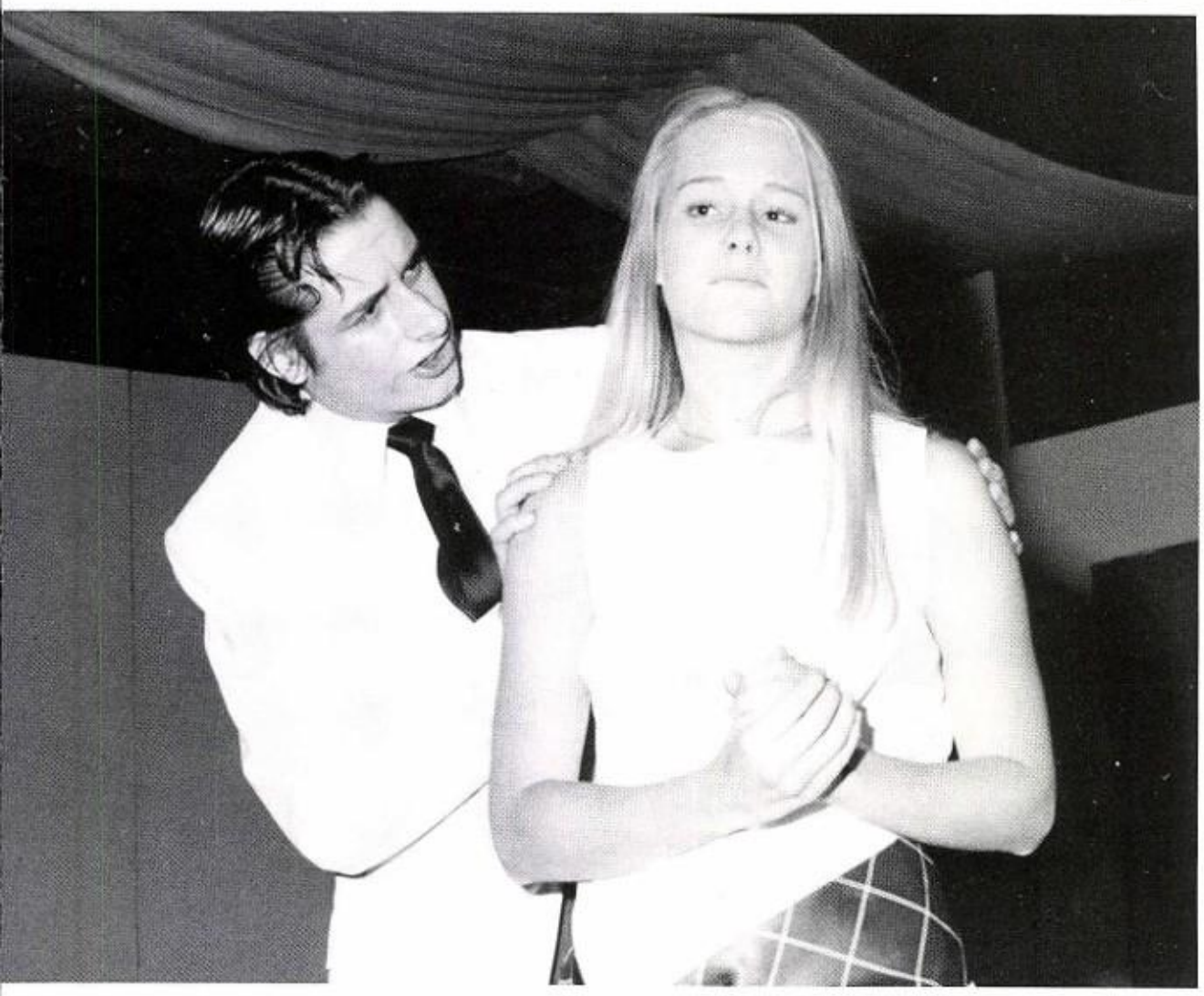


Hmm . . . could they maybe be hiding something?

So dramatic!

Presenting the cast of the play . . .

And don't forget those fun-loving helpers.



A tender touching moment.

The cast of the play: Steward: Phil Abel, Mrs. Skinner: Lois Lange, Cornelia Otis Skinner: LuAnn Lanke, Otis Skinner: Rick Barwa, Emily Kimbrough: Laura Boyer, Purser: Gary Stelse, Stewardess: Dawn Knoblauch, Dick Winters: Jim Kuchler, Admiral: Jeff Goodle, Winnifred Blaugh: Jan Knutson, Harriet St. John: Linda Bores, Leo McEvoy: Jay Schaefer, Inspector: Melinda Ames, Therese: Cathy Chojnacki, Madame Elise: Lynnette Schwechel, Monsieur de la Croix: Dave Kaphingst, Window Washer: Mike Draeger. And a special thanks to those who gave their time and effort behind the scenes: Director, Mrs. Kloehn: Student Director, Laura Dahl; the stage managers: stage crew: make-up crew: and, all those in charge of costumes, props, sound effects, lighting, publicity, set design, program design, etc. Without their help the play would never have been the success that it was.

Students Have A Great Time On Broadway

Homecoming 1978 began with Spirit Week, starting on Wednesday October 11, which was Hat Day. Hats of all kinds, large and small, cowboy and Indian, and many types in between were seen on the heads of students and faculty members alike. The next day, Thursday, was Costume Day. Along with the usual clowns, dolls, and assorted extraterrestrials was a new favorite this year: the toga. On Friday 13, Color Day, school spirit was shown by wearing green and gold.

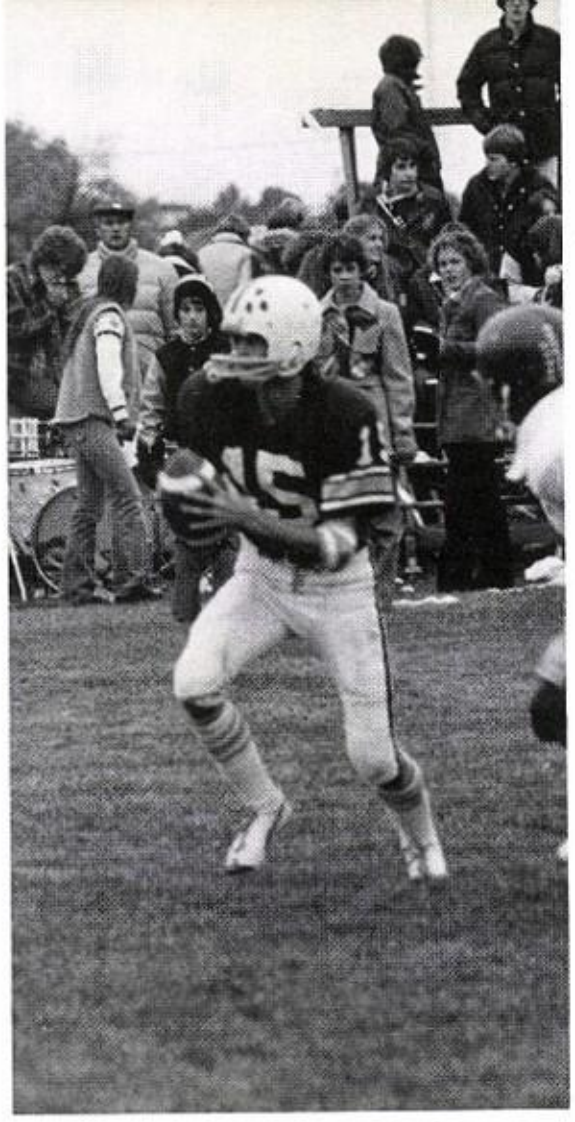
Those who attended the pep rally on Friday night, were treated to some great entertainment, such as the Pom Pon squad's rendition of Bye Bye Blackbird, the PU Cheerleaders, and of course, the Varsity Cheerleaders. And let's not forget the magnificent faculty men's choir, with a special added touch of class provided by Mrs. Kloehn.

After the pep rally came the Coronation of Jim Kuchler and Kara Kopac, leading the court of Lisa Shilling, Steve Longstaff, Mary Dobson, Dave Schuldt, John Brunette, Julie Kaphingst, Dean Kennedy, and Laura Dahl.

Then on Saturday, after the parade, the Martin Luther Spartans played against St. John's. Although the Spartans put up a good fight, in the end we lost the game. Oh well, there's always next year.

Finally Saturday night came. For those at the dance, it was a wonderful night of music, dancing, magic, and love on Broadway.

Coming through the star.



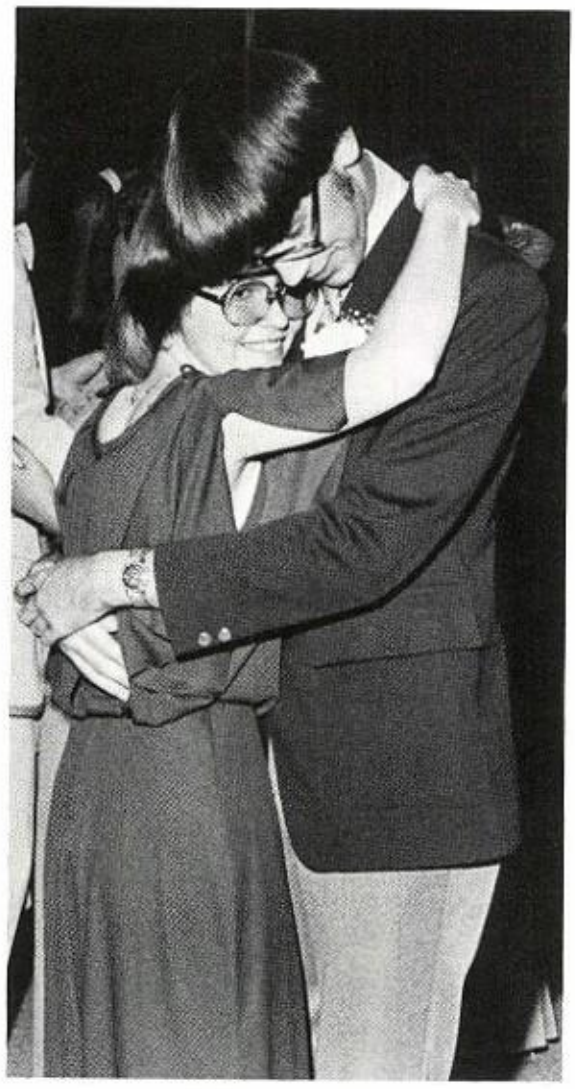
And #15 gets the ball.

The coordinated PU Cheerleaders.

The best of Spirit Week: Julie Sierzyn, Laura Boyer, Verlane Ericksen, Kathy Otto and Jay Schaefer.

The fabulous, fantastic, far-out, faculty choir.

The 1978 Homecoming Court.



Togetherness.

The Coronation.

Having a good time at the dance.

Just enjoying each others company.

Three's a crowd

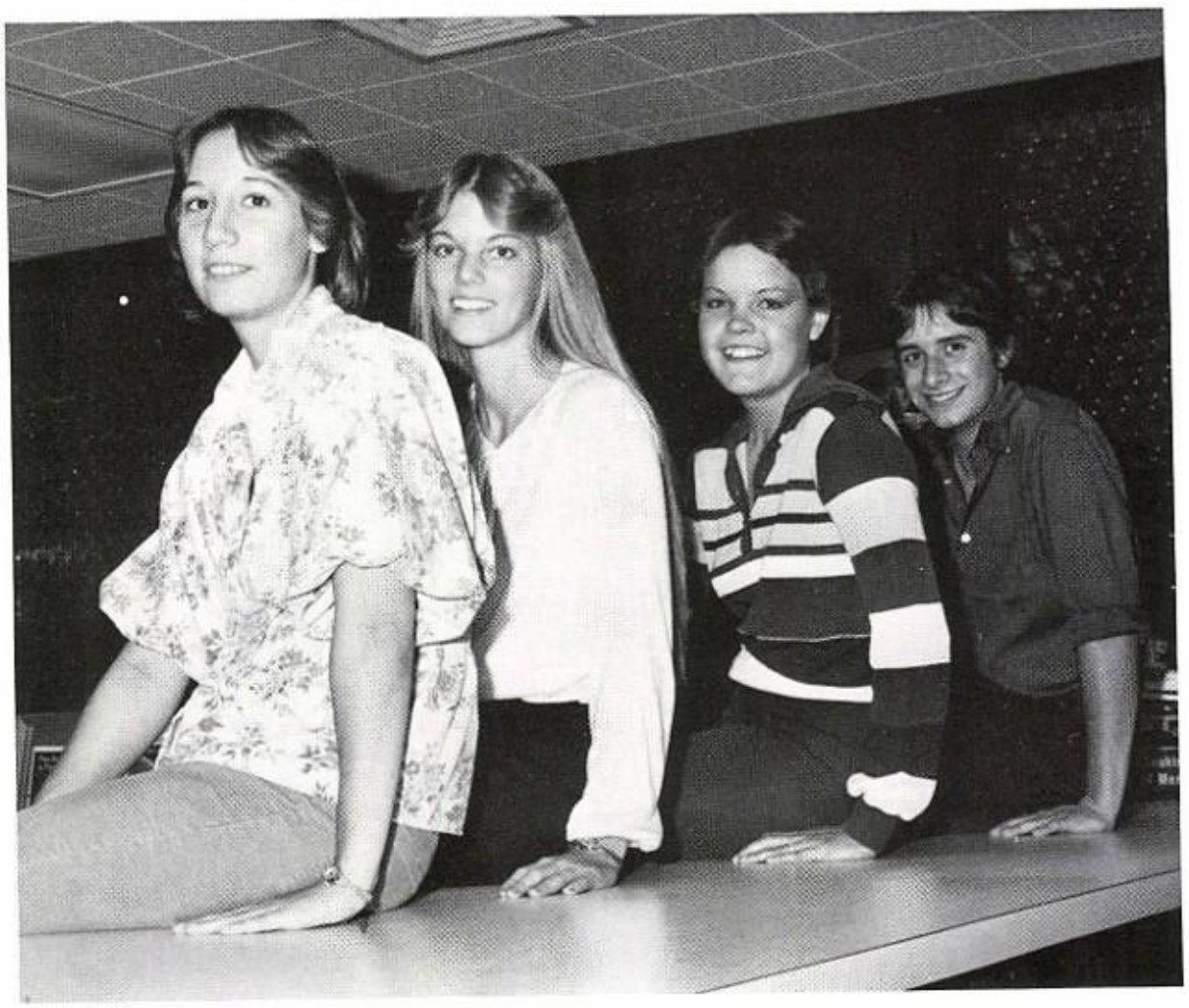
In Love Helping Each Other

The Martin Luther High School Student Council is a group of students bond together to form a more perfect union between faculty and students. The main objective of the Council is to provide the student body with a means to express their views and problems concerning school matters.

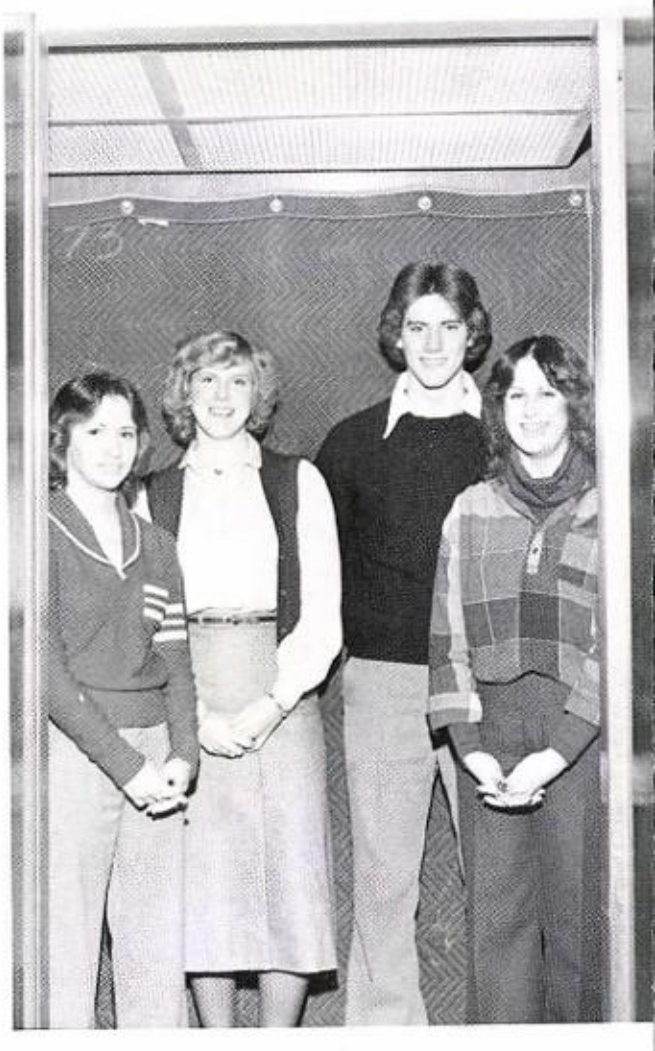
The Council also serves another function, which is to organize activities for the student body. Various dances, Blood Donor Day, and Carnation Day are just some of the many activities planned by the Student Council.

Under the wise guidance of Mr. Teetzen and strong leadership from the Executive Board, the Council has had another successful year and hopes their efforts have been helpful and beneficial to the student life at Martin Luther.

Executive Board: Sheri Stach, Kara Kopac, Laura Dahl, Lisa Shilling.



Senior Board: Karen Krebs, Julie Kaphingst, Jenny Scott, Jay Schaefer.



Junior Board: Linda Johnson, Leslie Esche, Gregg Bartrom, Renee Posavec.

Sophomore Board: Curt Buetow, Linda Graf, Sherri La Bodda, Beth Drews.

Freshman Board: Sue Jagusch, Bob Repischak, Julie Stach, Diana Brunner.

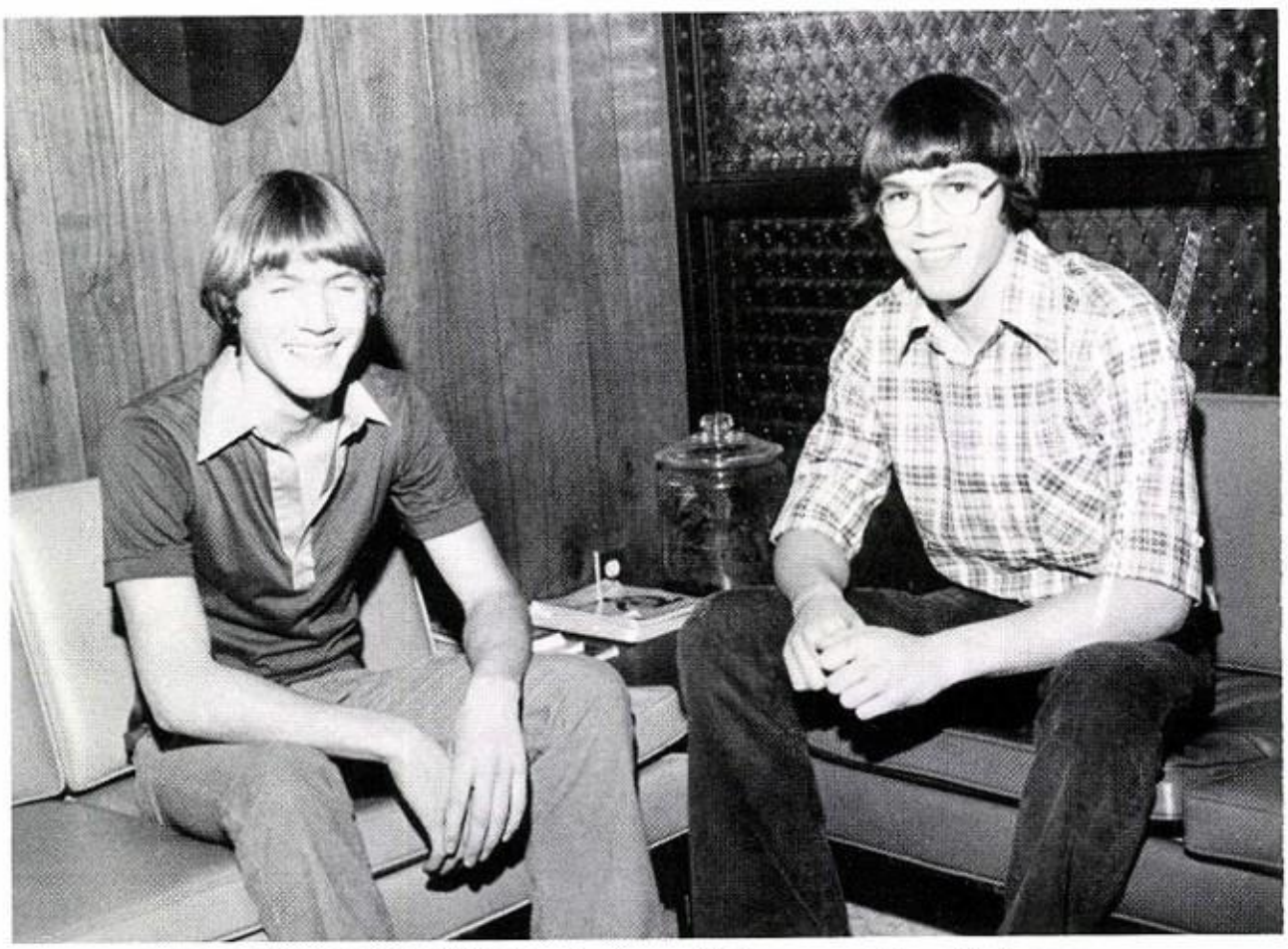
Faculty Adviser: Mr. Teetzen

Students Work To Help Their School

LIBRARY AIDS: FRONT ROW: Kathy Wulf, Pam Klohs, Cathy Chojnacki, Nancy Heise, Evelyn Retzlaff, Julia Meier, Carol Riske, Becky Bahr. SECOND ROW: Verlane Ericksen, Jill Kaltenbrun, Kristin Berlinski, Kim Szesny, Sue Kohler, Carrie Skorzewski, Dawn Knoblauch, Abby Miller, Sheri Schoemann, Joan Hansis, Shari Perko, Linda Johnson. BACK ROW: Tim Roser, Todd Tunks, Dave Rediske, Mike Draeger, Mark Tunks, John Hartel.

On these and the following pages, we pay tribute to those heroes of our hearts and hallways, the school helpers those dedicated, devoted, duty-doing diverters of disaster. We honor the library aids - the dauntless decipherers of the Dewey decimal system and valuable vendors of various volumes; the cafeteria helpers, who can cover a counter with culinary cuisine from cranberries and cookies to carrot cake and cucumber casserole; the usually underrated but undeniably unexcelled ushers; and the assistant athletic authority, the gym helpers; along with all those others not mentioned here.

These people give of their time and effort to make life easier here at Martin Luther for students and teachers alike, and they also praise God by serving Him and us with their talents. They definitely deserve our thanks for a job well done.



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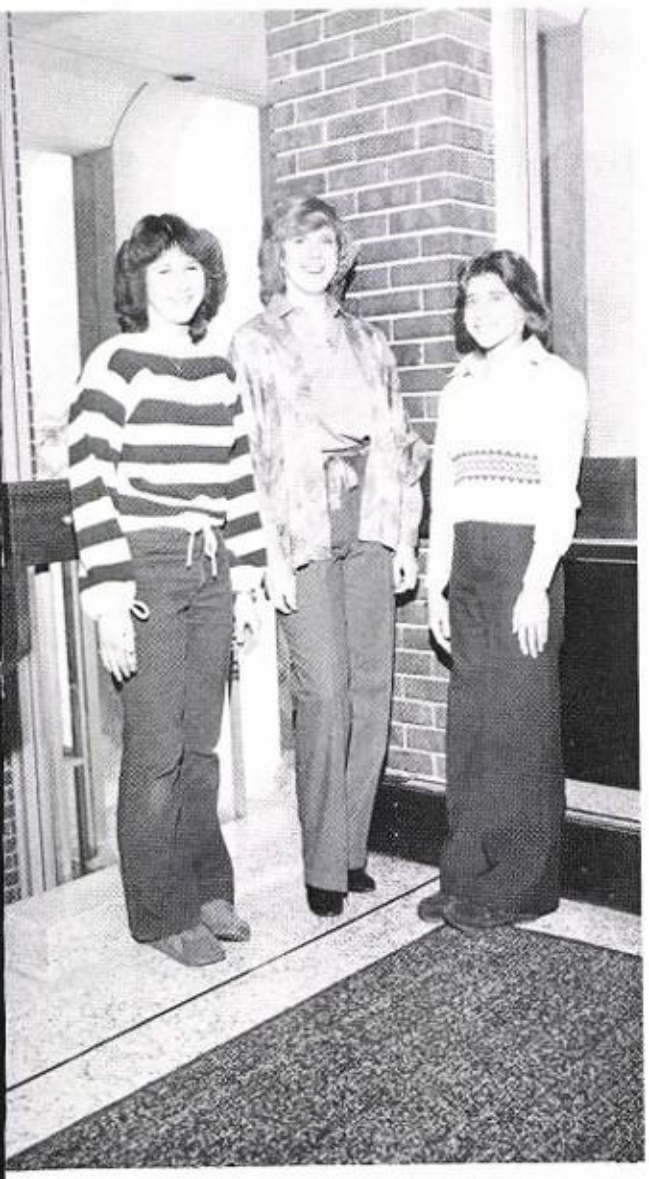

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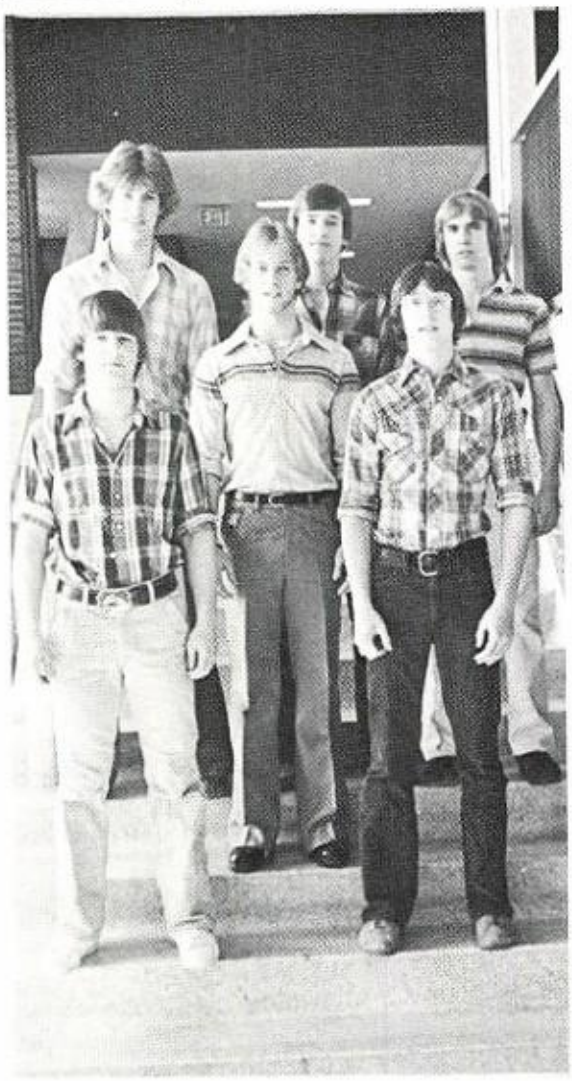

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For Us A Child Is Born

The band from the inside- working together in harmony.

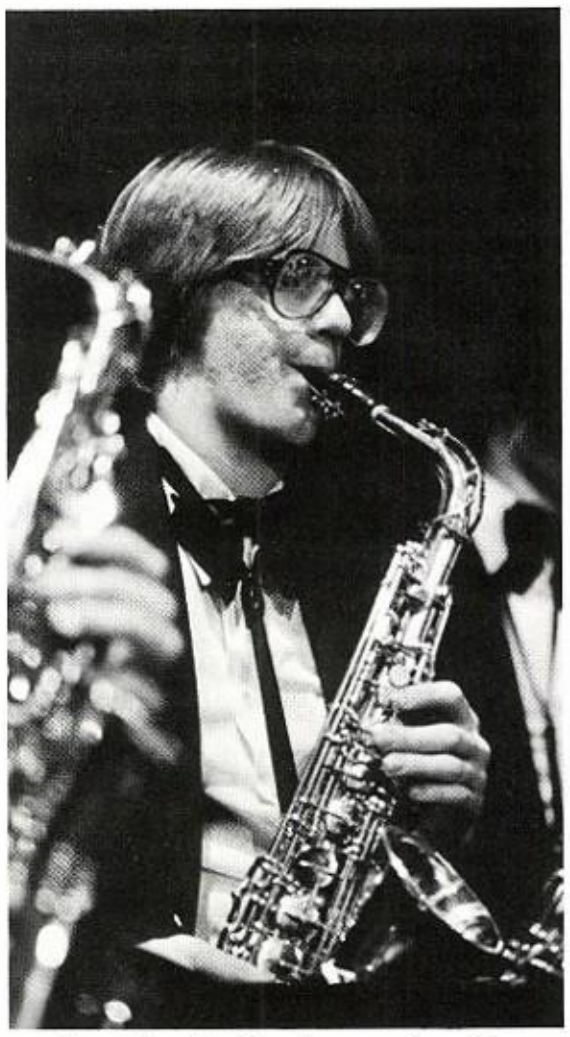
Varsity Band member Glenn Onstad.

The Symphonic Band: using their talents to God's glory and worshiping Him with music, and ...

This year's Christmas Concert, Christmas Vignettes, was another success. As usual, it took many hours of intense rehearsal to get ready. There were many new choir and band members, as well as the new choir director, who had to work extra hard. They and the veteran members all came through, and together the story of our Savior's birth was beautifully proclaimed through music and song.

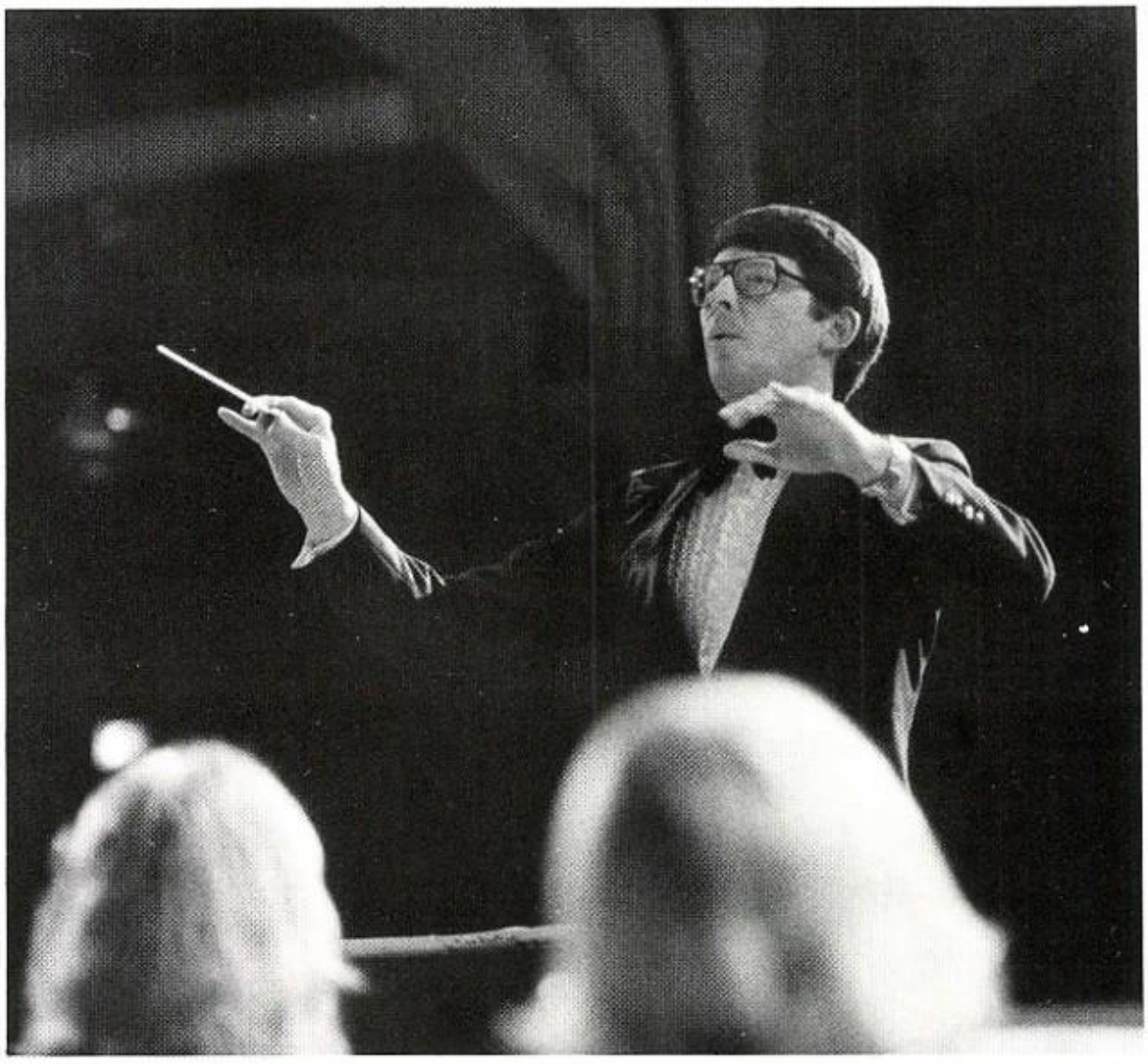
... the Concert Choir: praising the Lord with their voices.

The cherubic Concert Choir caroling at the Christmas Concert.



Symphonic Band member Jim Postler.

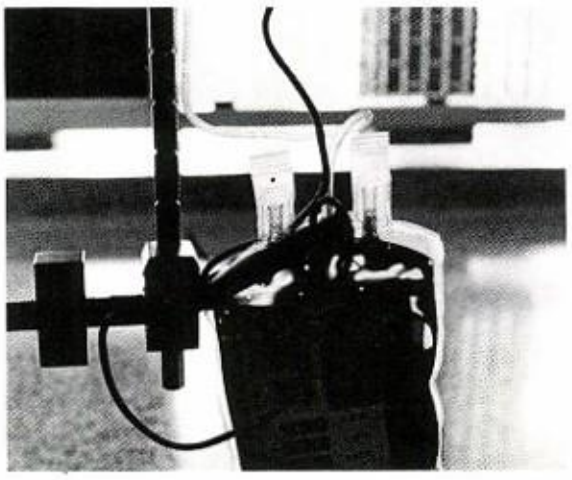
Under directors Mr. Deffner ...



... and Mr. Krubsack, the Concert was a fantastic success.

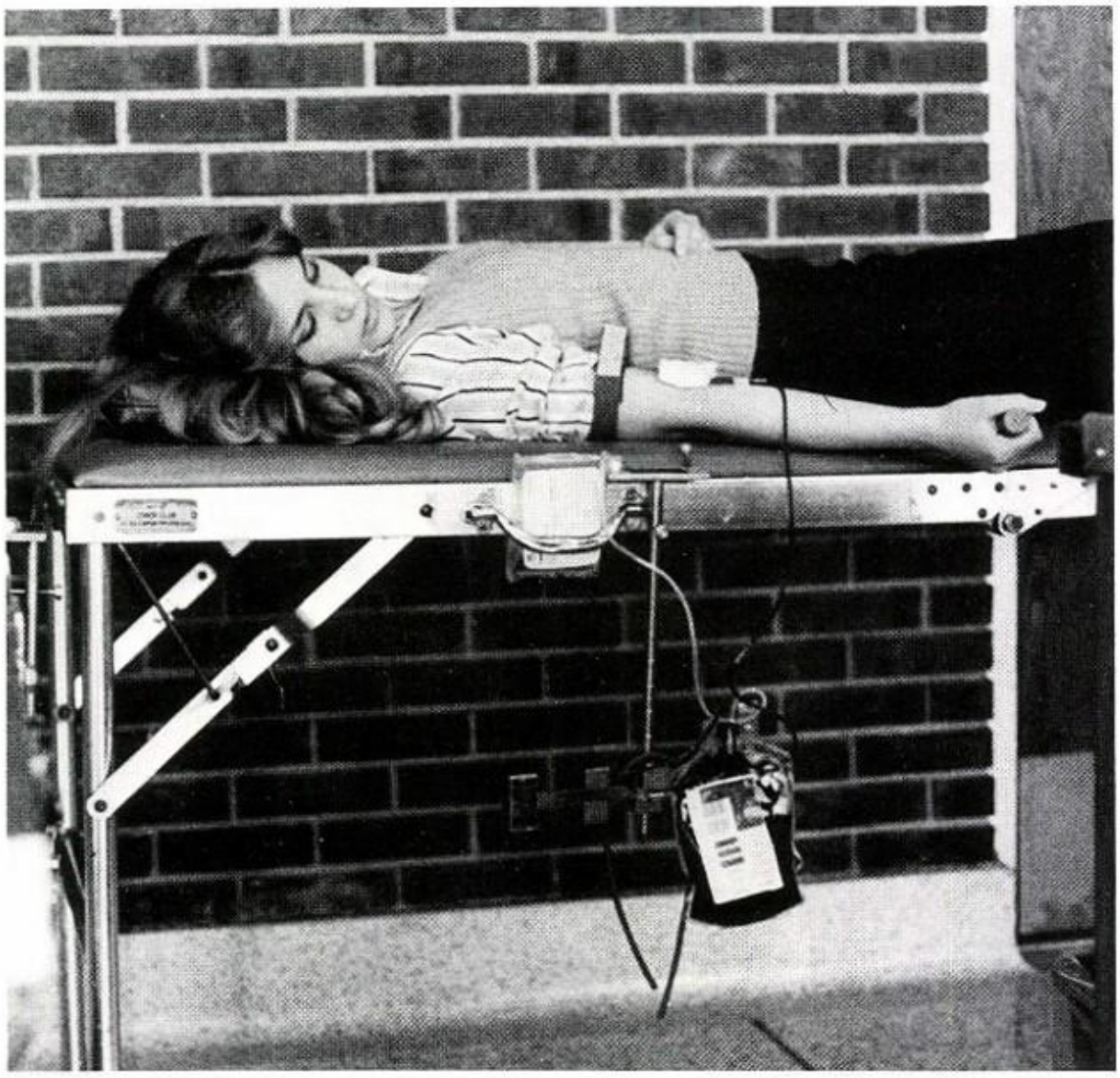
ML's Gift Is From The Heart

On Friday, May 4, ML students and faculty had the chance to give blood - the gift of life. One gets a good feeling inside by helping others in this way. Any complications were generally minor, such as a slight pain in the arm or a slight ache in the stomach from eating too many goodies later.

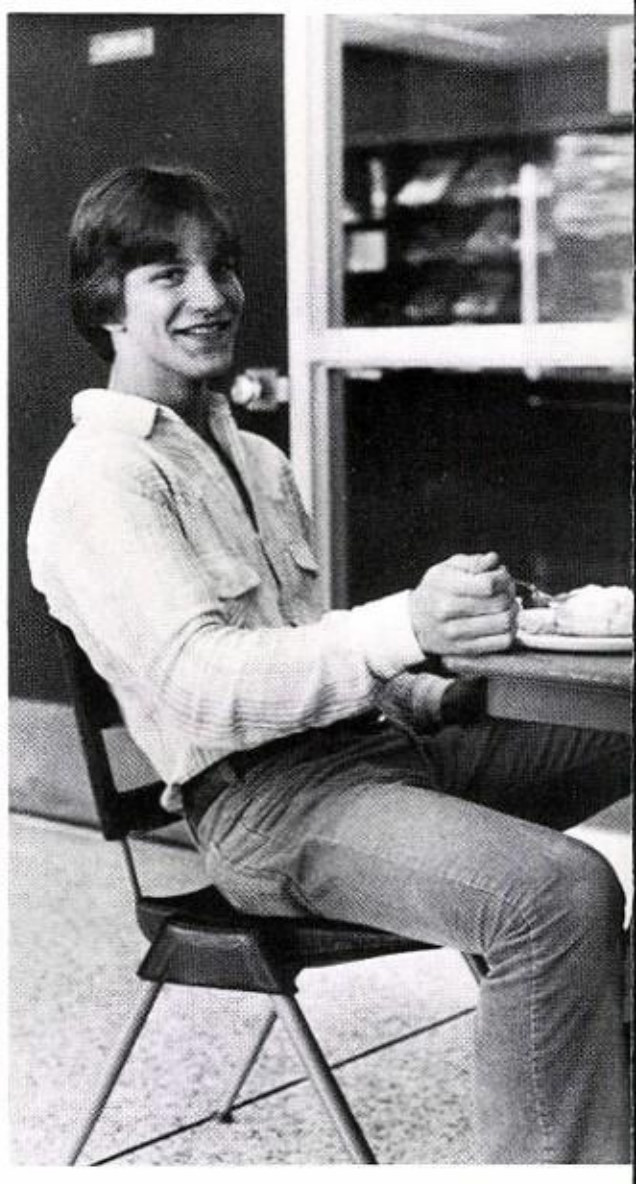


The star of the day: blood.

"Now then, just in case, do you prefer burial or cremation?"

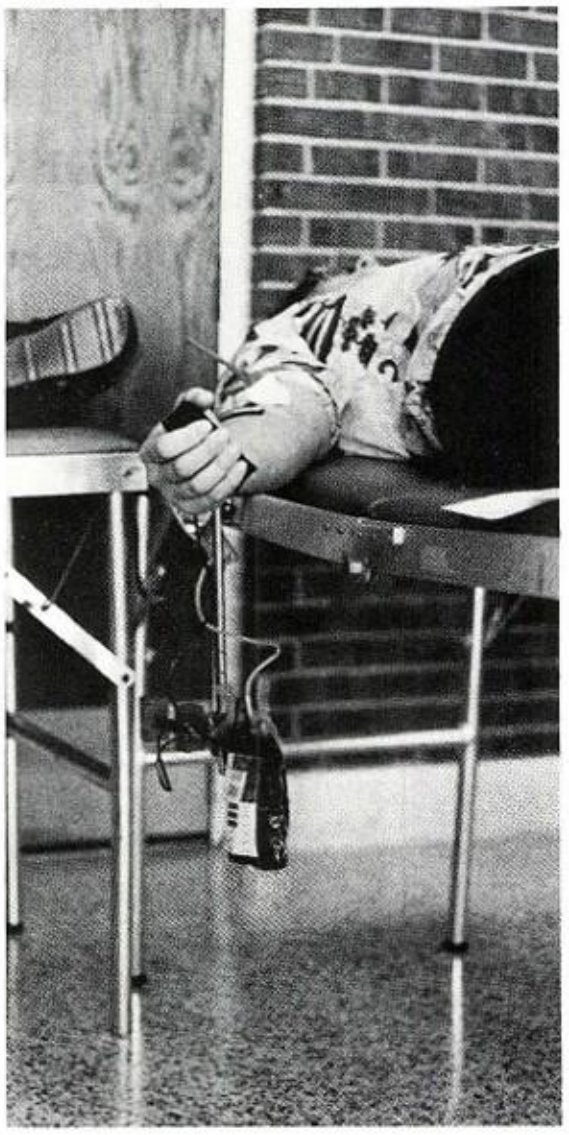


Dawn makes a noble, life-giving sacrifice.

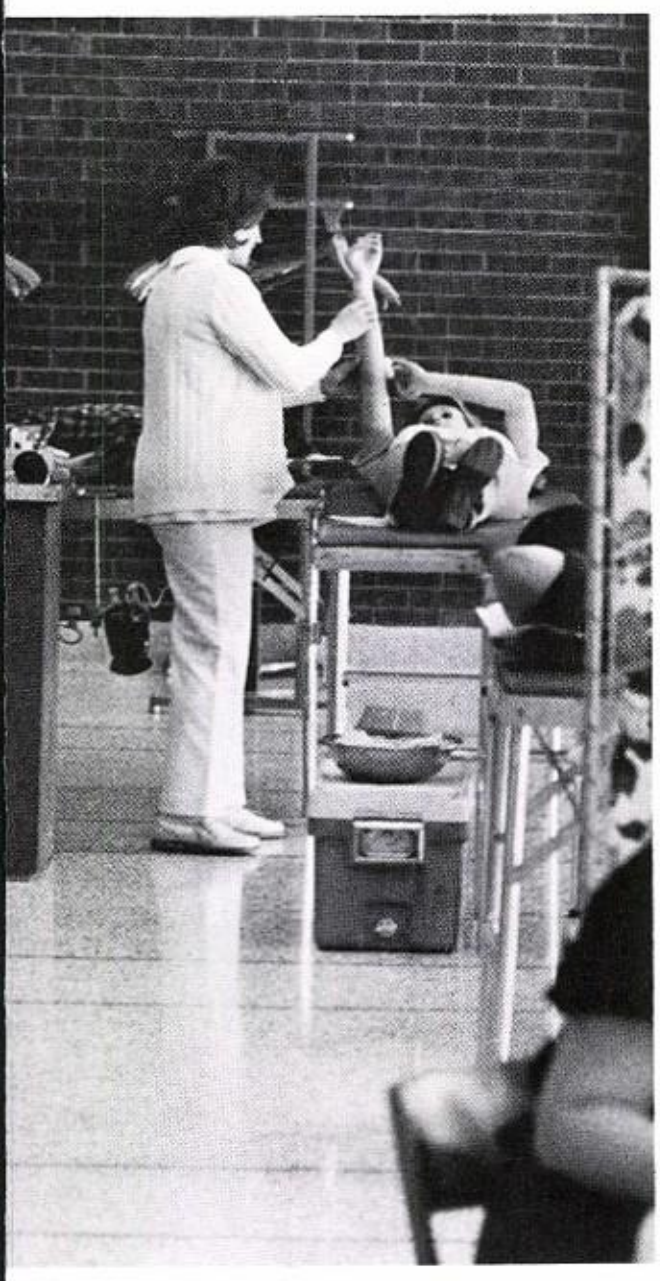


Munching out afterwards.

First they check to be sure you're alive.



Another pint on the way.



Too late. Rigor mortis has set in.

Victims, er, ah ... donors relaxing as the blood drains from them.

Make A Joyful Noise Unto The Lord

CONCERT CHOIR: FRONT ROW: Mr. Deffner, Beth Bruening, Tracy Rupcic, Val Riedel, Donna Mayer, Sandy Kurer, Laura Boyer, Linda Spohn, Jenny Lohf. SECOND ROW: Vicki Blazer, Judy Hafner, Lori Pieske, Chris Backus, Karen Krebs, Jan Barndt, Lisa Shilling, Jessica Hildebrand. THIRD ROW: Mark Tunks, Jim Hahn, David Treichel, Tom Pieper, Dave Krubsack, Jim Barndt. BACK ROW: Doug Schroeder, John Brunette, Rick Barwa, Steve Longstaff, Scott Hansen, Frank Cleppe, Jim Kuchler.

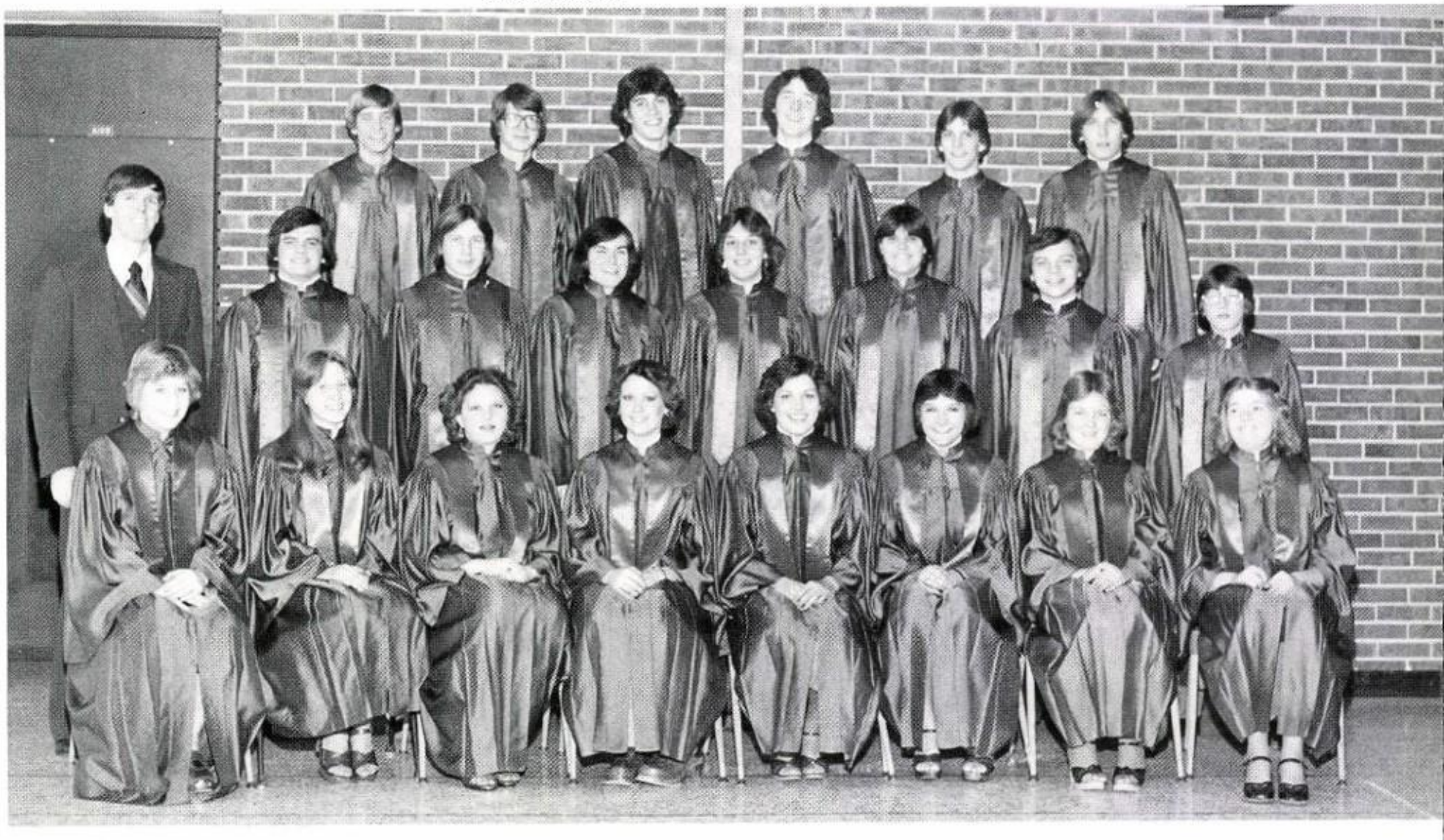
FRONT ROW: Sandy Madison, Kara Kopac, Jill Duzynski, Leslie Esche, Laura Kennedy, Laura Semple, Carrie Reiss, Carol Bauch. SECOND ROW: Judy Nelson, Lynnette Schwechel, Chris Gruenewald, Melissa Hendrick, Elise Ulbing, Becky Bahr, Sherry Rand, Pat Sorcic. THIRD ROW: Phil Abel, Ron Smith, Rusty Rose, Marty Loppnow, Kim Szesny, Julie Meissler. BACK ROW: Jim Povlick, Scott Ibe, Daryl Kohlmeyer, Jay Schaefer, Brad Froemming, Tom Cutting. Not pictured: Dee Adler.

Sing Praises To The Lord

The following was written by Frank Cleppe and applies to all the choirs, not only the Concert Choir. "The Concert Choir is made up of dedicated students and an exceptional director, Mr. Deffner. The choir members possess a great pride in the beautiful sound it produces. We work hard to achieve that sound, but at the same time have fun and enjoy ourselves. There is a closeness among the members which is reflected in the way we sing.

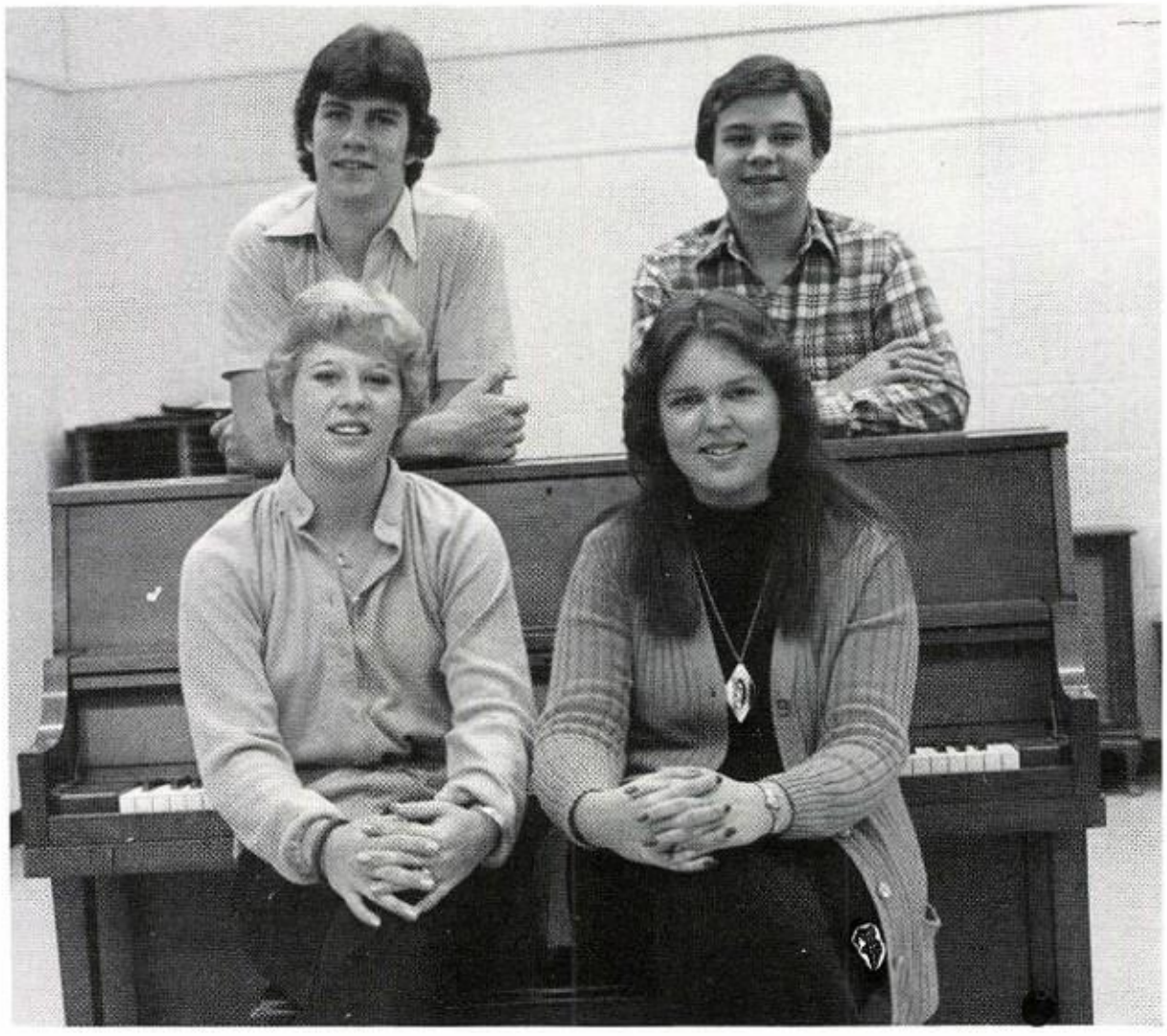
The choirs performs in churches, chapel services, and three concerts a year. This enables us to share our faith in Jesus Christ with others. This, after all, is what the Choir is really all about."

CHORUS: FRONT ROW: Mary Schneider, Verlane Ericksen, Susan Adler, Tracy Vazquez, Don Krubsack, Keith Roberts, Kim Mitchell, Terri Lemke, Linda Lamm, Jodi Kozlowski. BACK ROW: Lisa Adali, Lori Oswald, Dawn Krueger, Celene Menzel, Sandy Kopitske, Terri Treichel, Kitty Drobka, Mr. Deffner. Not pictured: Karl Cleppe, Peggy Hanes, Allison Knoll.



TROUBADOURS: FRONT ROW: Lisa Shilling, Laura Boyer, Val Riedel, Becky Bahr, Kara Kopac, Sherry Rand, Sandy Kurer, Beth Drews. SECOND ROW: Mr. Deffner, Rick Barwa, Ron Smith, Carol Bauch, Vicki Blazer, Pat Sorcic, Brad Froemming, Don Krubsack. BACK ROW: John Brunette, Dave Krubsack, Jim Kuchler, Mark Tunks, Dave Schuldt, Rusty Rose. Not pictured: Kim Szesny.

Our talented new choir director, Mr. Deffner.

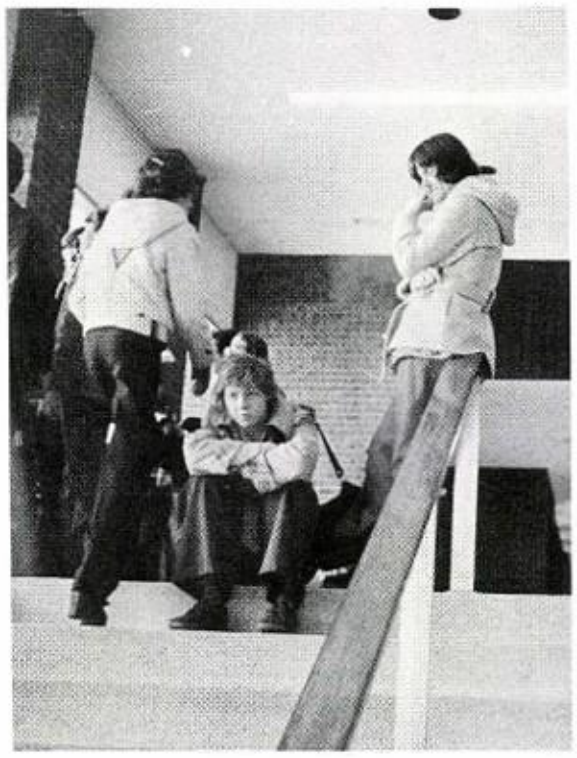


CHOIR OFFICERS: Jim Kuchler, Brad Froemming, Lisa Shilling, Lynnette Schwechel.

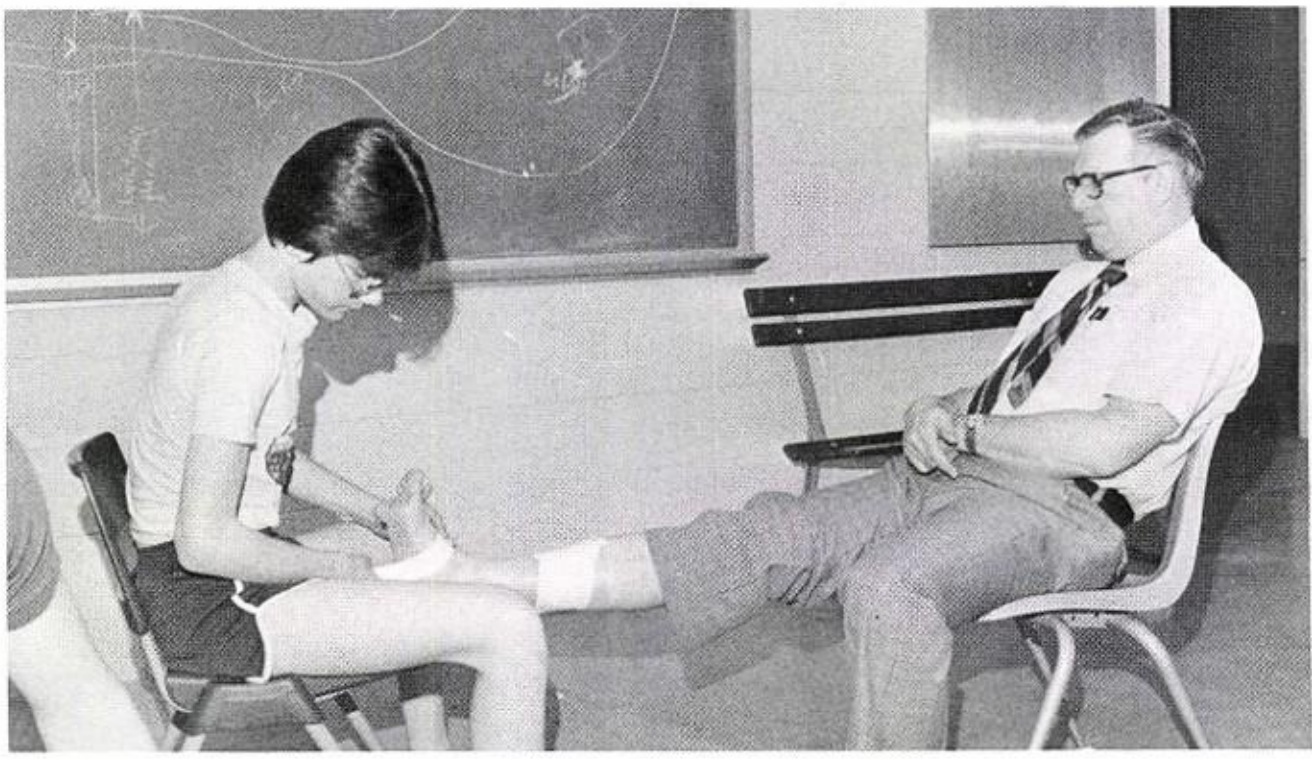
A group of Chorus members singing at the Christmas Concert, one of three concerts each year.

Julie Meissler, Laura Boyer, and other Concert Choir members at the Christmas Concert.

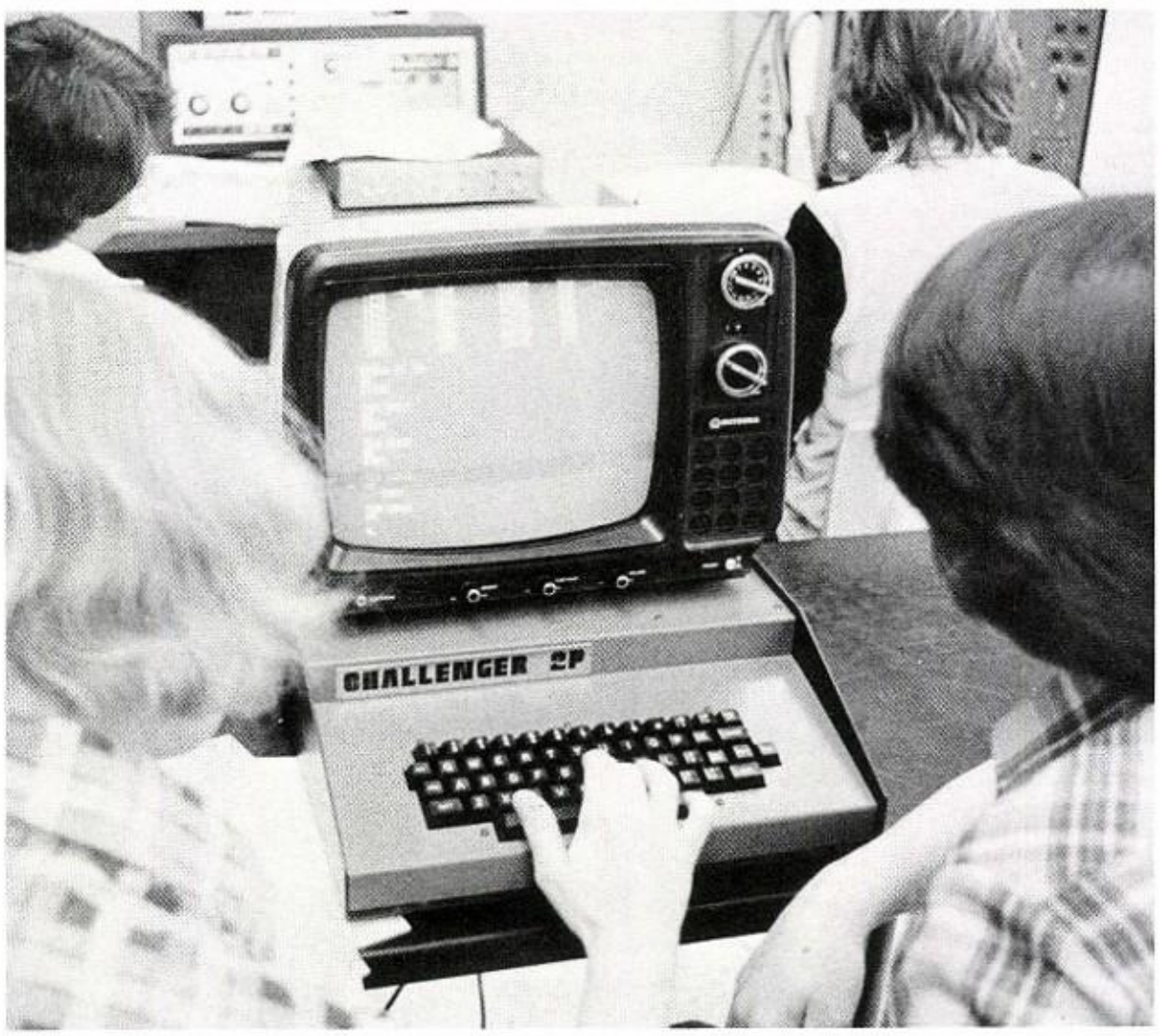
Long Awaited Interim Arrives At Last



A typical sight during Interim: waiting for a bus.

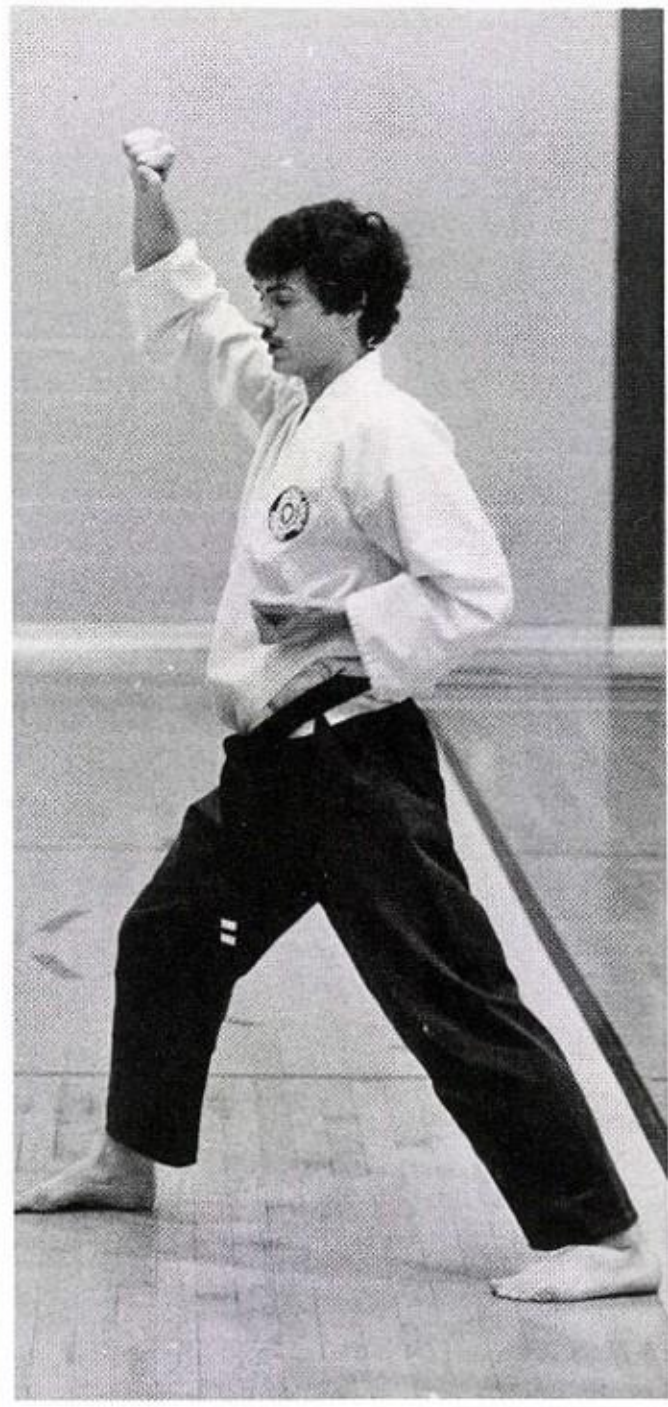


During Interim the atmosphere is generally more relaxed. As you can see, even the teachers take a break.

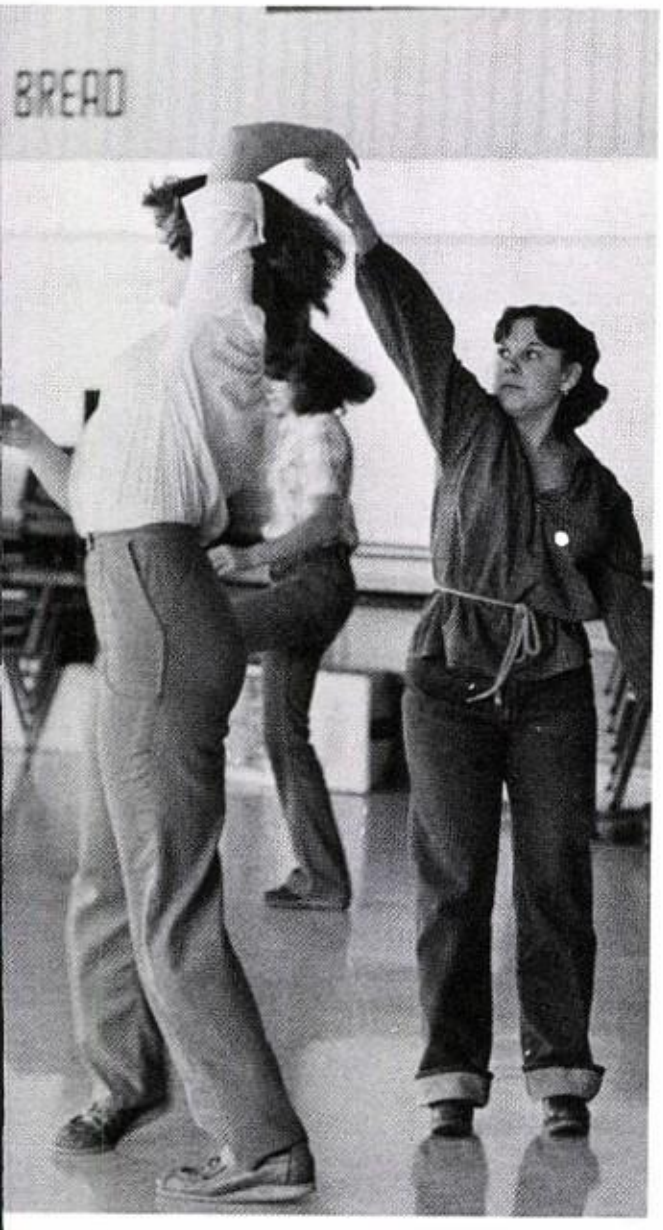


"Bits and Bytes" gave students an introduction to computer programming.

This year Martin Luther's third Interim was held on Thursday and Friday, March 8 and 9. Students had an opportunity to take a course on a topic not generally taught in the school curriculum, such as, clowning, self-defense, disco dancing, computer programming, and aviation. There also were field trips to the Milwaukee Historical Society, the Museum of Science and Industry in Chicago, the Zoo, and other places, as well as cross-country skiing trip and a back packing trip. Most of the students enjoyed the change of pace and learned something, too.



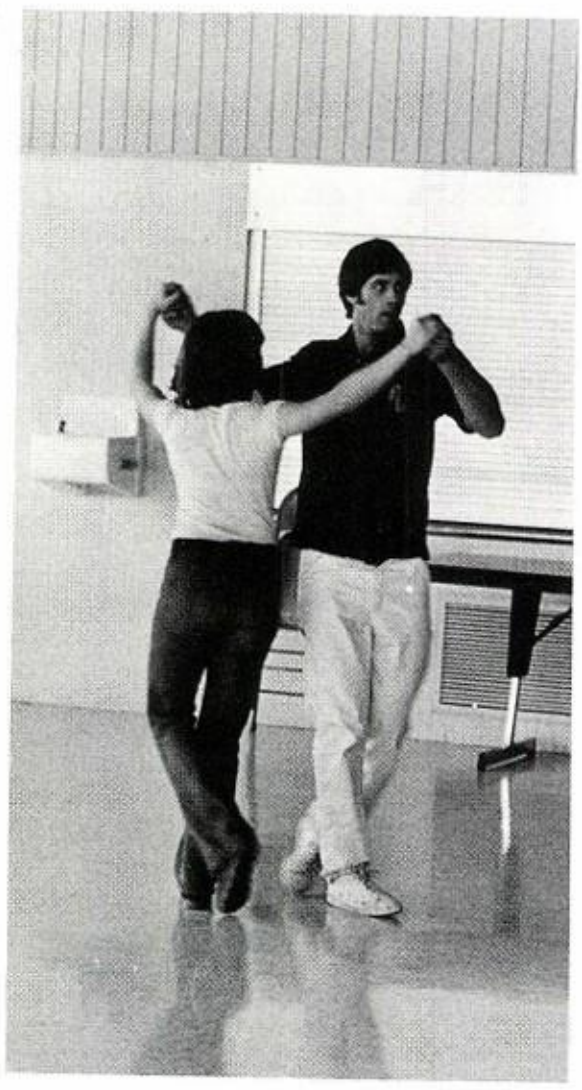
No, it's not a new disco step; it's a demonstration of the martial arts.



No, Laura isn't trying to throw Beth over her shoulder; it's a disco step.

"I know that pushing one of these will destroy all life on this planet, and the other changes the channel to "Bugs Bunny", but I'm not sure which is which. Oh well, eeny, meeny, ..."

ML's version of the Three Stooges: a scene from "Clowning as a Dramatic Art."

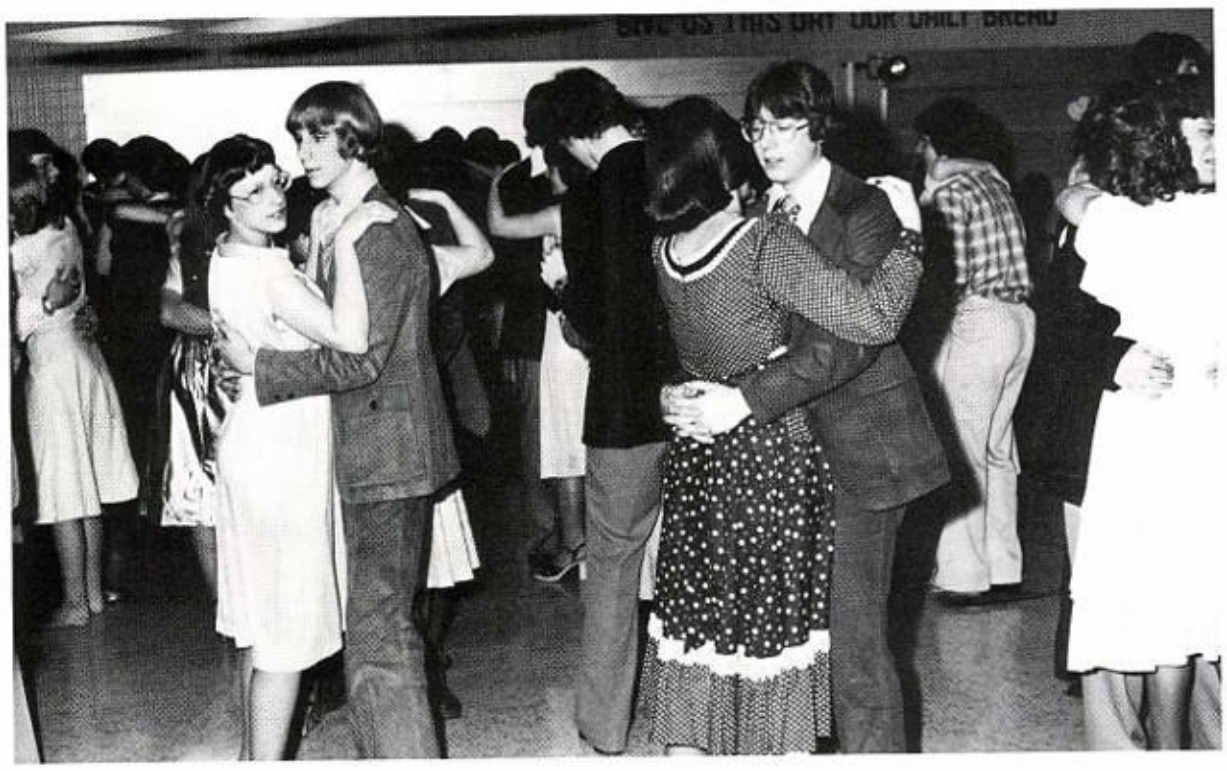


Mr. Schneider, Sheri La Bodda, and a "Night on Disco Mountain."

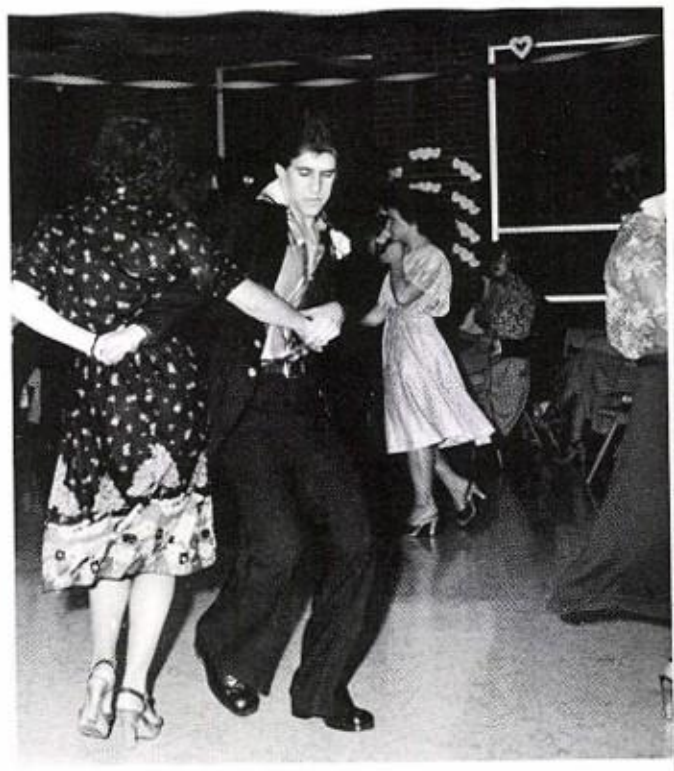
Music And Magic At The Turnabout

This year's Turnabout Dance was held on March 17. The theme of the dance was ''Always and 4-ever'' and the students danced to the music of Safire. Many girls asked their favorite guys to the dance and there was a good turn out. It was a night of romance that many will long remember.

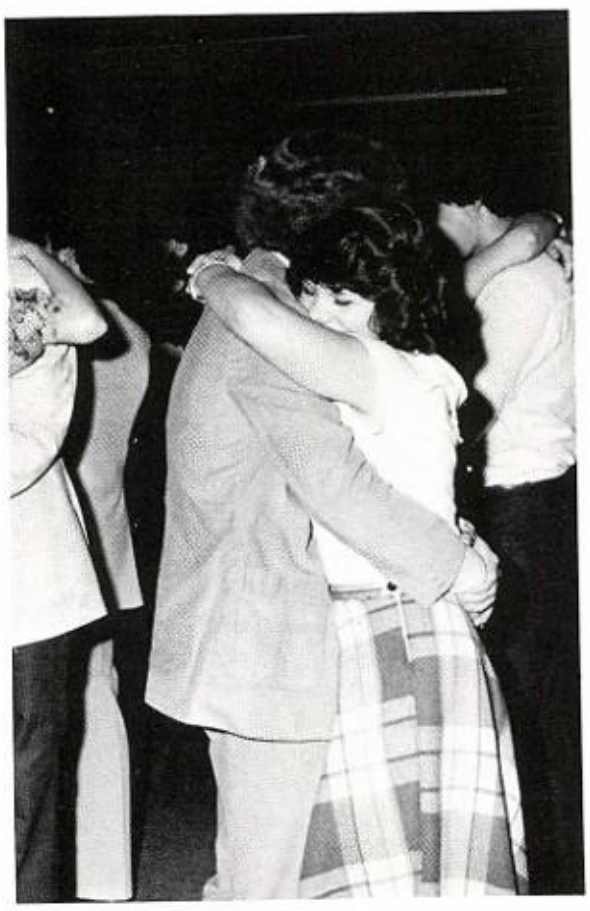
Punch and cookies nourished the dancers throughout the night.



The slow dances were by far the most popular, although ...



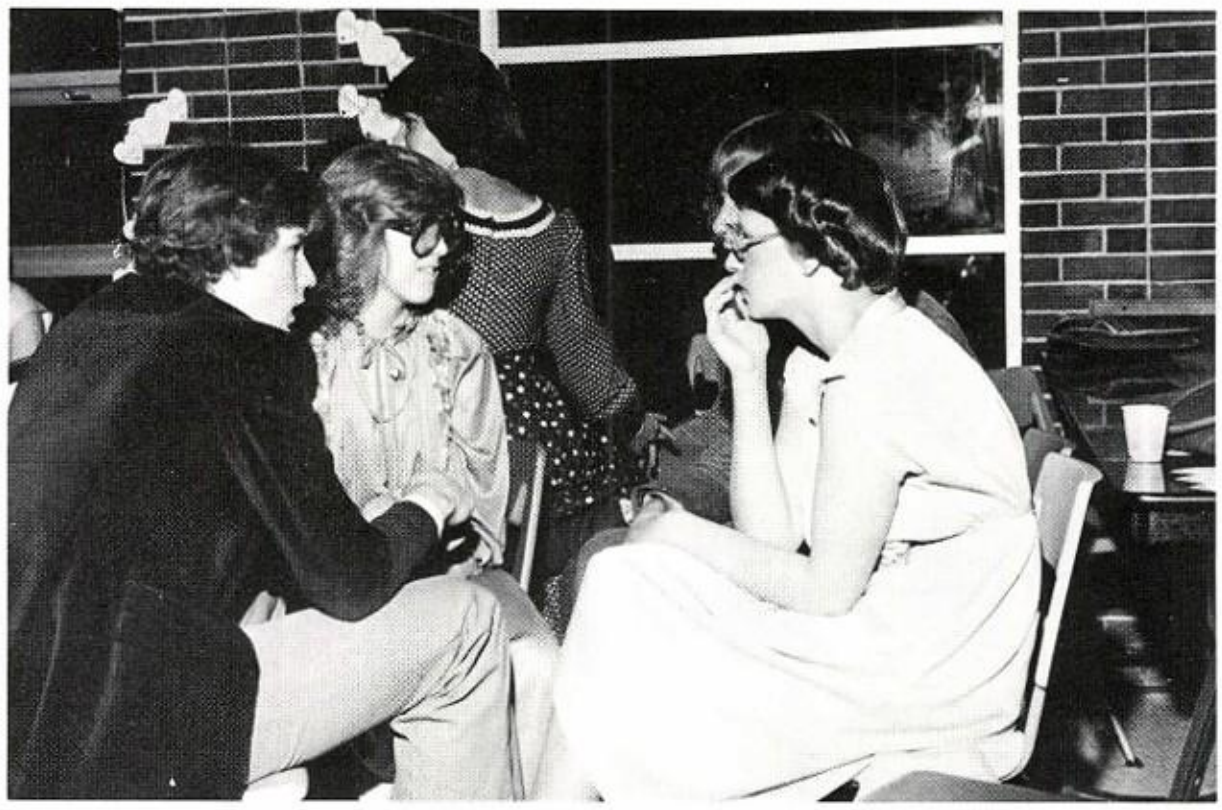
... there were disco dances, too.



Dancing the night away.

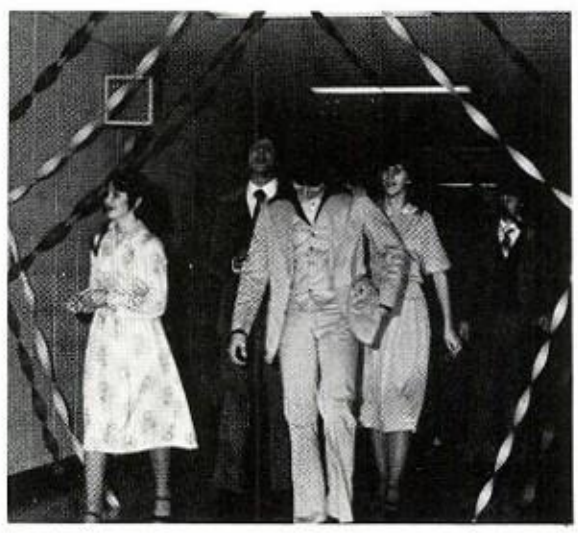
Music to dance to was provided by the band Safire.

It was a special night for many.

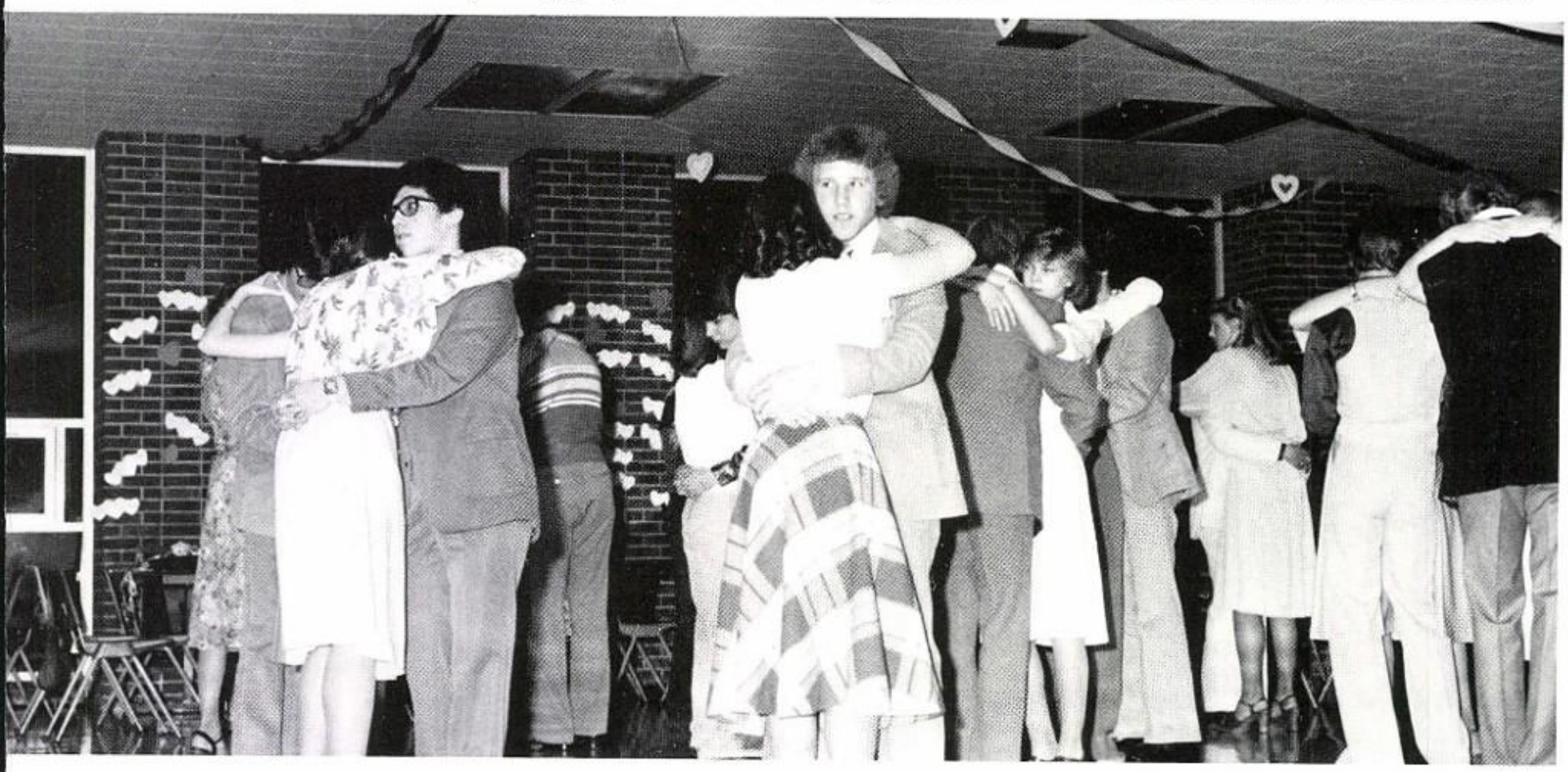


Besides dancing, there was also time for talking with friends.

The dance was quite crowded; many people came and had a good time.



Even the halls were decorated.



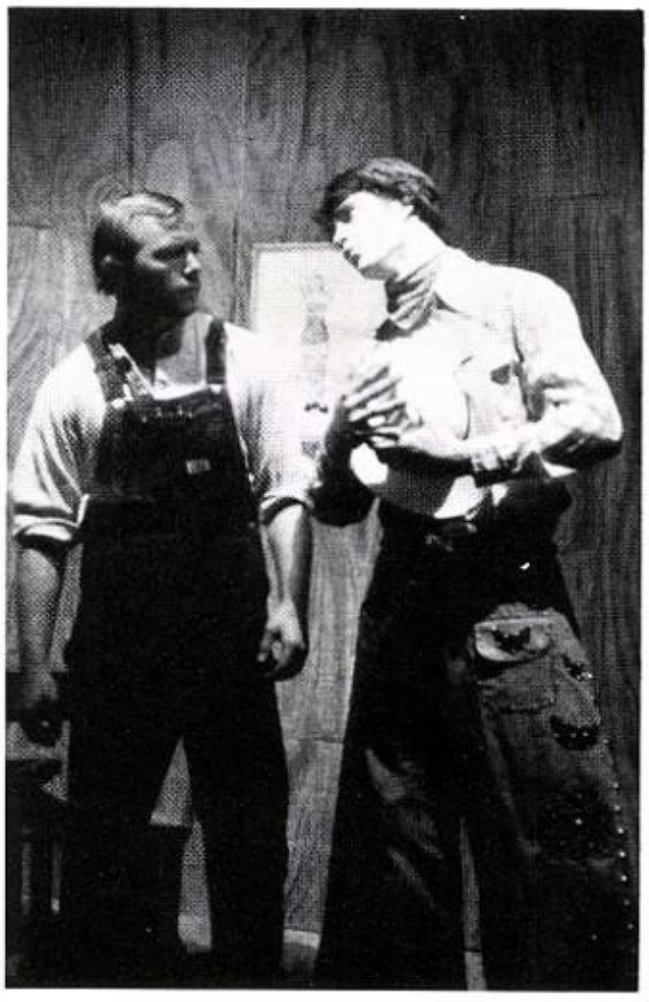
The Sweetheart Dance was a night of fun, music, and dancing for all who were there.

OKLAHOMA . . . Where The Wind Comes Sweepin' Down The Plain

Aunt Eller- Laura Dahl and Lynnette Schwechel
Curly- Jim Kuchler
Laurey- Laura Boyer and Sandy Kurer
Ike Skidmore- John Gehlhaart
Will Parker- Rick Barwa
Cord Elam- Chuck Dulde
Slim- Brad Froemming
Fred- Tom Pieper
Mike- Tom Cutting
Joe- Gregg Bartrom
Jess- Ron Smith
Chalmers- Jim Barndt
Jud Fry- Frank Cleppe
Ado Annie- Kara Kopac and Leslie Esche
Ali Hakim- Jay Schaefer

Gertie CummingsLois Lange and Heide Resch
Ellen- Jan Knutson
Kate- Karen Coogan
Sylvie- Sue Adler
Armina- Jennie Lohf
Vivian- Jenny Scott
Aggie- Melissa Matz
Mary- Nancy Berger
Amanda- Debbie Bores
Dorothy- Chris Backus
Andrew Carnes- Mark Tunks
Dancers- Melinda Ames, Gail Berkhahn, Mary Dobson, Beth Stach, Nancy Sheldon.

The Peddlerman is amazed at how grown-up Lauri has become.



Curley is informing Jud about himself.

Eller and Carnes stop the fighting at the party.

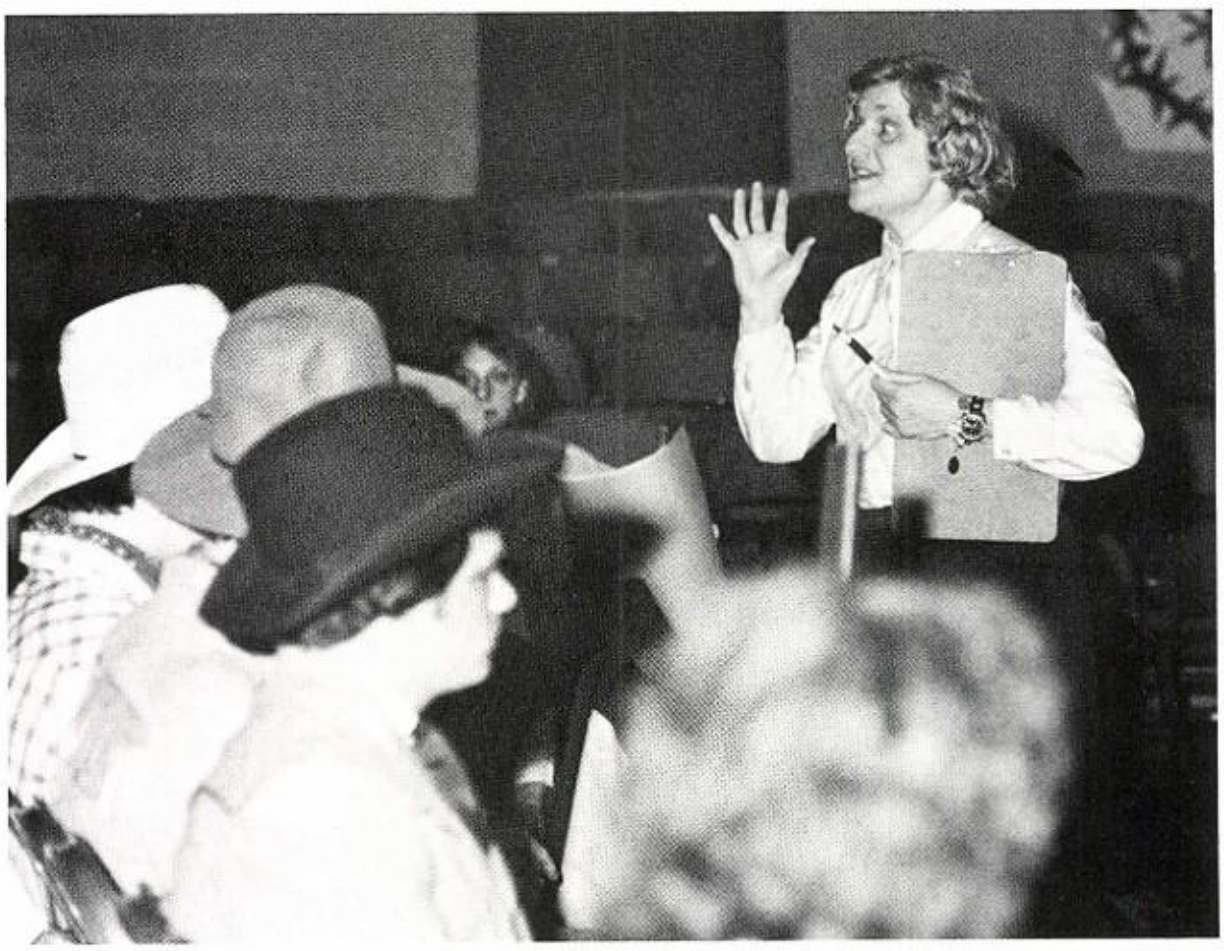
Ado Annie has received some competition for the affection of Will.

Director, Mrs. Marion Kloehn; Music Director, Mr. David Deffner; Accompanists, Mrs. Lucille Kowert, Brett Bartel; Stage Managers, Dan Czaplewski, Carol Litchfield; Props, Judy Hafner, Pat Sorcic, Sandy Potterton, Dan Czaplewski; Choreography, Nancy Sheldon, Sheri Stach; Set Design, Mrs. Ann Meyer; Set Construction, Dan Czaplewski, Steve White, Mark Tunks, Frank Cleppe, Keith Roberts, Karl Cleppe, Rick Barwa, Mr. Bernard Kloehn; Stage Crew, Sandy Potterton, Steve White, Carol Bauch, Keith Roberts, Kathy Otto, Judy Hafner, Terry Treichal, Dan Kanitz, Dan Czaplewski; Make-Up, Chris Gruenewald, Cheryl Stecker, Dawn Eccleston, Peggy Lindenberg, Linda Johnson, Shari Perko, Mary Cianciolo, Jodi Kozlowski, Linda Lamm, Jill Duszynski; Program Cover Design, Cathy Chojnacki; Publicity, Mr. Dave Widenhofer, Jim Kuchler, Lynnette Schwechel, Sheri Stach, Laura Dahl; Photographer, Carol Bauch; Wardrobe, Laura Dahl, Bonnie Burgess, Debbie Krueger; Lighting/Sound, Dave Treichal, Paul Conrad, Karl Cleppe.

Ado Annie and Will demonstrate an OKLAHOMA Hello.

Aunt Eller is at odds with the peddlerman, due to a ''bargain'' sale.

Laurey dreams she will marry Curley in the morning.



Mrs. Kloehn stresses, ''Smile, Sparkle and no gum'' to cast members.

Choirs And Bands Give Great Concert

Gershwin, Manilow, Ellington, and Mozart were a few of the composers who had selections of their work performed in this year's Spring Concert on May 19 and 20.

The Chorus opened the concert with ''Morning Has Broken.'' The Troubadours performed a few pieces with the highlight being a Barry Manilow medley. A touch of class was added by the String Ensemble with a Mazart arrangement. The Concert Choir closed the first part of the concert doing several pieces including ''My Bonnis Lass She Smelleth'' by P.D.Q. Bach, ''Love Will Keep Us Together'' and a grand performance of ''Everytime I Feel the Spirit.''

The second half began with the Varsity Band playing ''The Entertainer.'' Jazz Lab added some life with a few Duke Ellington selections, and the Symphonic Band concluded the concert with a fantastic performance.

Altogether the 11th Annual Spring Concert was very well done and enjoyed by both the participants and the audience.

Tom Pieper and his guitar.

The Concert Choir performed some popular pieces.

Choir members, band members, and the audience enjoyed the concert.

A dramatic production by the Troubadours.

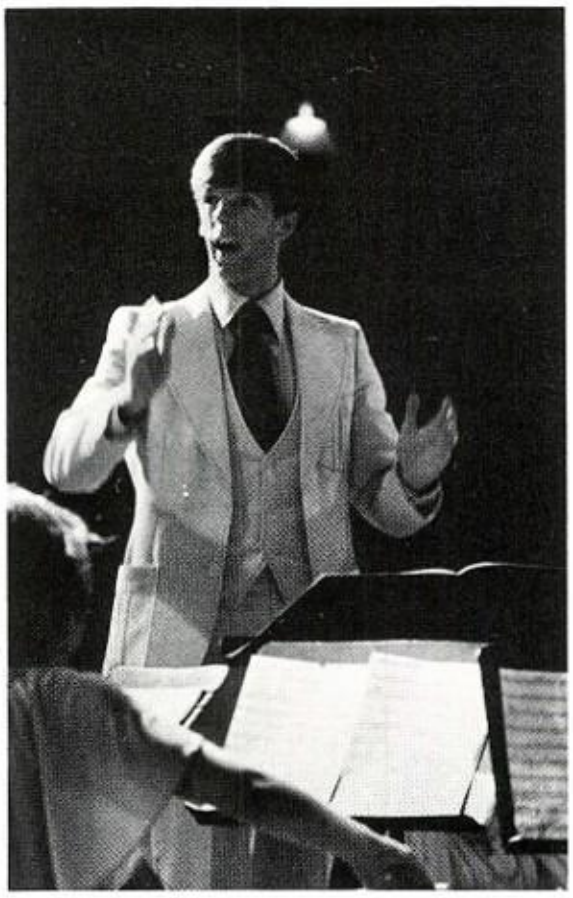
The String Ensemble played some classical music at the concert.

Bill Gies at the violin.

Mr. Krubsack directs the bands.

The Symphonic Band did a wonderful job.

The fabulous Martin Luther Troubadours sang several selections.



Mr. Deffner, a fine director.

Band Tours The South

The Symphonic Band went on tour this year from March 7 to March 11. They held concerts in various cities in the South, including St. Louis, Missouri and Little Rock, Arkansas. Even though they work hard to perform and the bus rides can get boring, the band members look forward to this event not only as a chance to escape from the routine of school, but also to spread their faith to others through their music.

Much of the time on tour is spent on the bus.

Playing cards seems to be a favorite pastime during the trip.

"Are there any requests?"

A discussion before the concert.

Taking it easy during a tiring but fun tour.

Choir Tours, Spreads Music

On March 29 to April 1, the Concert Choir traveled to River Forest, Fort Wayne, Valparaiso, and Detroit. The new director, Mr. David Deffner, did a great job of bringing the group together and directing it through some very difficult music. Tour isn't all work. Who can forget the kidnapping of 'Teddy' by the seniors, or the forgotten bass in Fort Wayne? We also had the privilege of seeing our former choir director, Mr. Lindau. Altogether, Choir Tour 1979 was a real success!

Packing and unpacking becomes a part of everyday life.

The hardships of life on the road.

A new choir member (center). Does he sing bear-itone?

Finally the moment of truth arrives. The choir relaxes before the performance.

The Magnificent Music-Making Bands

BRASS CHOIR: FRONT ROW: Dan Luethy, Don Krubsack, Mark Troeger, Brian Dey, Alan Meitler, Craig Burt. BACK ROW: Jay Schaefer, Dave Luethy, Dave Vig, John Klinge, Dave Krubsack, Dave Rediske, Jim Marquardt, Brian Wegener, Mr. Krubsack.

JAZZ LAB: FRONT ROW: Dave Bliese, Robert Rieck, Laura Nelson, Jon Evans, Beth Drews, Jim Postler, John Brunette, Vicki Blazer. BACK ROW: Jay Schaefer, Dave Luethy, Dave Vig, Dave Krubsack, John Klinge, Dave Rediske, Mark Troeger, Dan Luethy, Tom Pieper, Don Krubsack, Alan Meitler, Brian Dey, Mr. Krubsack, Dorothy Pralle.

VARSITY BAND: FRONT ROW: Pam Stelse, Andrea Flores, Dana Drews, Glenn Onstad, Chris Maas, Linda Kezman. SECOND ROW: Scott Wenzel, Richard Baguhn, Robert Hansen, Becky Koeller, Mike Gilhuber. THIRD ROW: Jon Behncke, Todd Tunks, Janice Otto, Dave Waro, Kevin Coerper, Roy Scheffner, Andrew Hafeman. BACK ROW: Mr. Krubsack, Don Sievert, John Henckel, Rusty Rose. Not pictured: Joan Esch, Jeff Goodle, Alan Hafeman, Matt Holtz, Anne Nuernberg, Tom Pieper, Ted Simpson.

Making music

STRING ENSEMBLE: Mr. Deffner, Bill Gies, Lois Lange, Sue Kohler, Cathie Hamburger, Sue Gawlitta, Melinda Ames, Chris Thone, Robyn Buchwald, Elise Ulbing.

BAND OFFICERS: Jay Schaefer, Tom Pieper, Alan Hafeman, Dan Luethy, Joel Bahr.

The Symphonic Band had its usual successful year in bringing several well known compositions to the Fine Arts Center. The Christmas Concert featured the Hallelujah Chorus from Handel's ''Messiah''. In the spring, the movement ''Mars'', from the work ''The Planets'', by Gustave Holst, was featured. With a large majority being underclassmen, the Band should be strong again in the next few years.

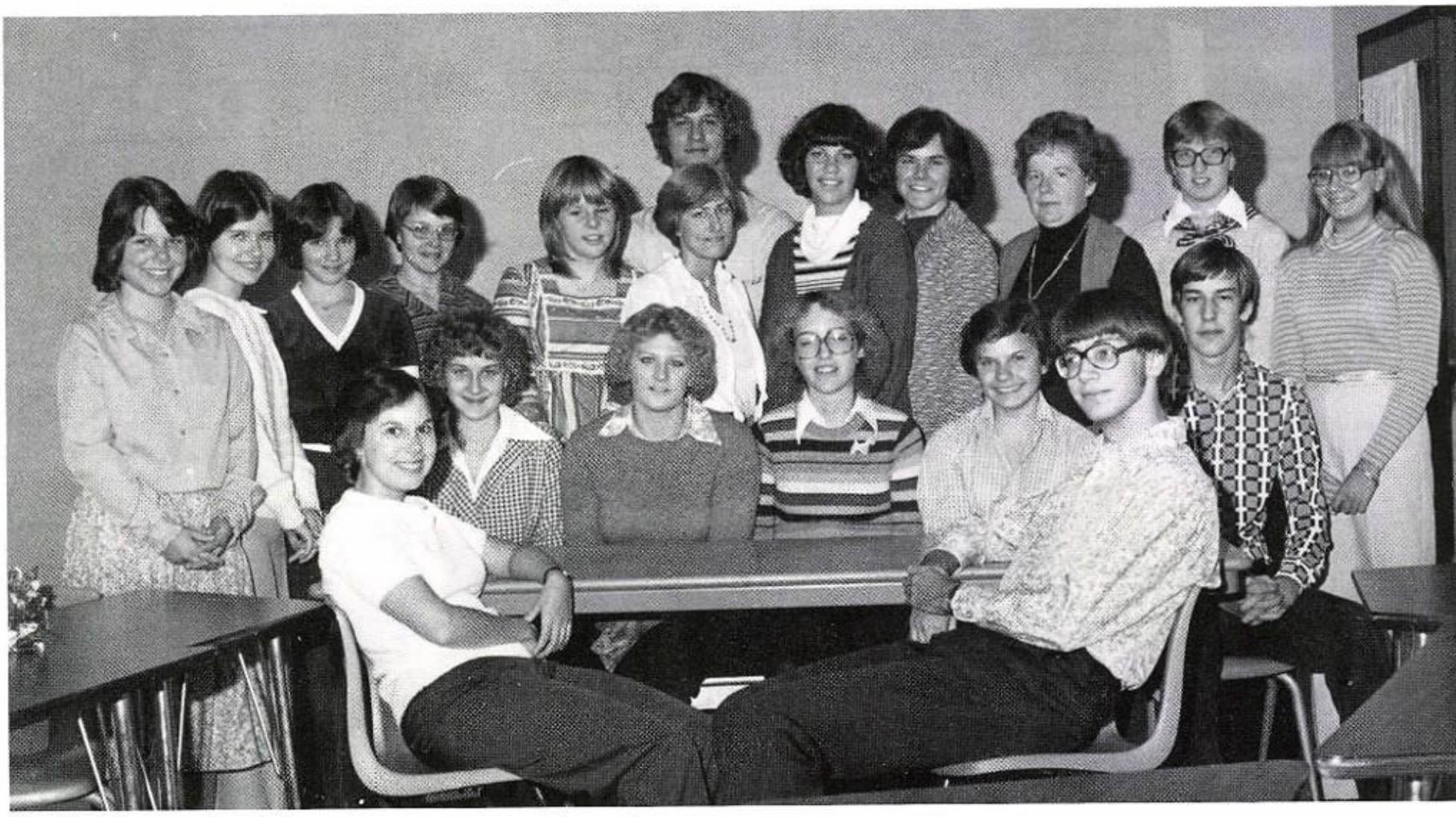
The Sensational Symphonic Band

SYMPHONIC BAND: FRONT ROW: Joan Esch, Sue Peliska, Beth Drews, Joan Ilseman, Traci Franz. SECOND ROW: Vicki Blazer, Dawn Schaeffer, Becky Bahr, Robyn Buchwald, Joel Bahr, John Penshorn, Curt Steinhaus, Charlotte John. THIRD ROW: Joanne Woelffer, Lorraine Bruening, Kay Prueser, Sandi Remsing, Jay Schaefer, Dave Luethy, John Klinge, Dave Vig, Dave Krubsack, Dave Rediske, Jim Marquardt, Chuck Dulde. BACK ROW: Laura Nelson, Bob Rieck, Jim Postler, Dave Bliese, Steve White, John Brunette, Judy Hafner, Chris Gruenewald, Bill Goss, John Schreib.

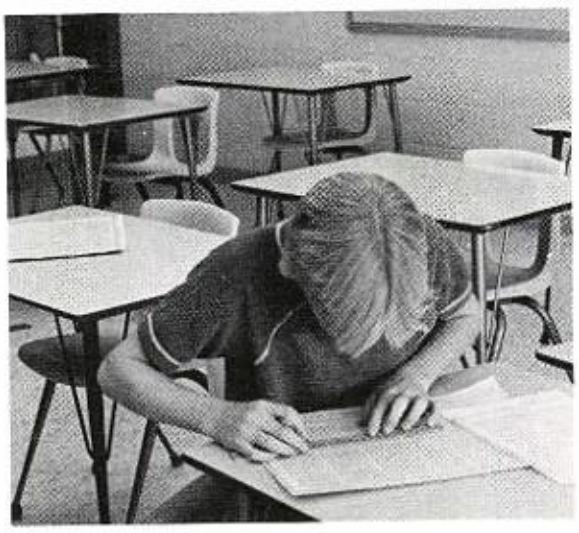
FRONT ROW: Lynn Prueser, Linda Kaphingst, Jenny Lohf, Beth Bruening, Linda Garske. SECOND ROW: Tom Pieper, Alan Hafeman, Jim Peliska, Jeff Goodle, Holly Decker, Gail Berkhahn, Kari Consigny, Cindy Juedes.

THIRD ROW: Brian Wegener, John Ficken, Kenton Kais, Mike Kadolph, Phil Hartman, Diane Gruenewald, Liz Kaczmarek, Nancy Sheldon, Renee Posavec, Sandi Schery, Kara Kopac, Brenda Wittal. BACK ROW: Mr. Krubsack, Jon Evans, Doug Smith, Pete Halstead, Elise Ulbing, Don Freyberg, Craig Burt, Jim Baumgart, ALan Meitler, Brian Dey, Mark Troeger, Don Krubsack, Dan Luethy. Not pictured: Craig Hambrock, Paul Wessler.

Yearbook Done, Phalanx Staff Rejoices

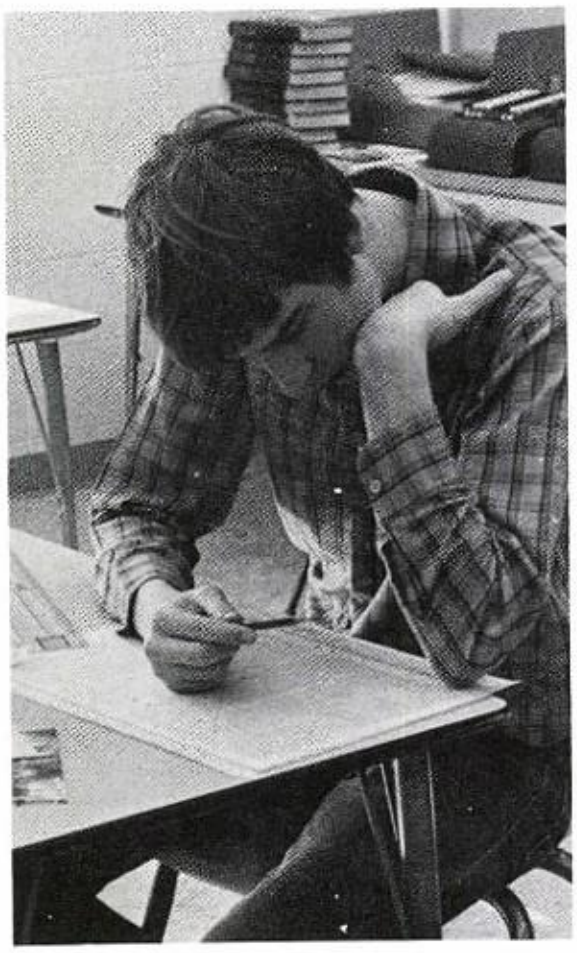


YEARBOOK STAFF: FRONT ROW: Beth Stach, Richard Leske. MIDDLE ROW: Nancy Grunewald, Jill Duszynski, Chris Gruenewald, Sheri Stach, Steve Dehnke. BACK ROW: Julie Stach, Evelyn Retzlaff, Diana Brunner, Cindy Juedes, Lisa Plopper, Craig Hambrock, Colleen Hayes, Kim Szesny, Carol Bauch, Mrs. Wegener, Linda Kezman, Julia Meier.



Brian, hard at work on layouts.

Well, it's finally finished. The 1978-79 Phalanx staff has completed its task and produced another fine yearbook. As usual, it wasn't easy. Setbacks such as missed deadlines and vanishing pictures tend to "crop" up and slow down progress. However, under our editor Beth Stach and the leadership of Mrs. Wegener, we did get the job done, and we hope we have succeeded in capturing and recording the events and memories of another year.



The great thinker himself, Steve Dehnke.

Nancy and Julie carefully study the pictures.

CHI RHO CLUB: FRONT ROW: Linda Johnson, Julie Stach, Beth Stach, Mr. Koepke, Anne Nuernberg, Bonnie Fuchs, Joan Hansis. SECOND ROW: Cindy Juedes, Jon Behncke, Lisa Plopper, Debbie Cieslak, Scott Sowlles, Keith Roberts, Sheri Stach, Bill Gies. BACK ROW: Juli Sierszyn, Nancy Berger, Robyn Buchwald, Dave Basel, Kevin Majors, Mike Kadolph, Dan Le Van, Kathy White, Bonnie Burgess, Sue Adler.

Religion And Railroads: ML's Clubs

Here at Martin Luther this year we have two clubs: the Chi Rho Club and the Model Railroad Club.

The Chi Rho Club, which seems to have grown in size and popularity this year, is designed primarily for those who have some intention of going into church work or some form of ministry, such as pastors, teachers, etc. Its members work together, enjoy each others fellowship, and grow in their faith and love of God.

The Model Railroad Club, which is new this year, also attracts a rather good-sized group of students. These people, as the name of the club implies, build model railroads, and they have a lot of fun doing it.

MODEL RAILROAD CLUB: FRONT ROW: John Malotky, Tod Kumbera, Scott Haferman, Dan Yahn, Martin Loppnow, Jeff Johnson, Mike Kadolph. BACK ROW: Dave Bliese, Dave Vig, Brett Bartel, Mike Wagner.

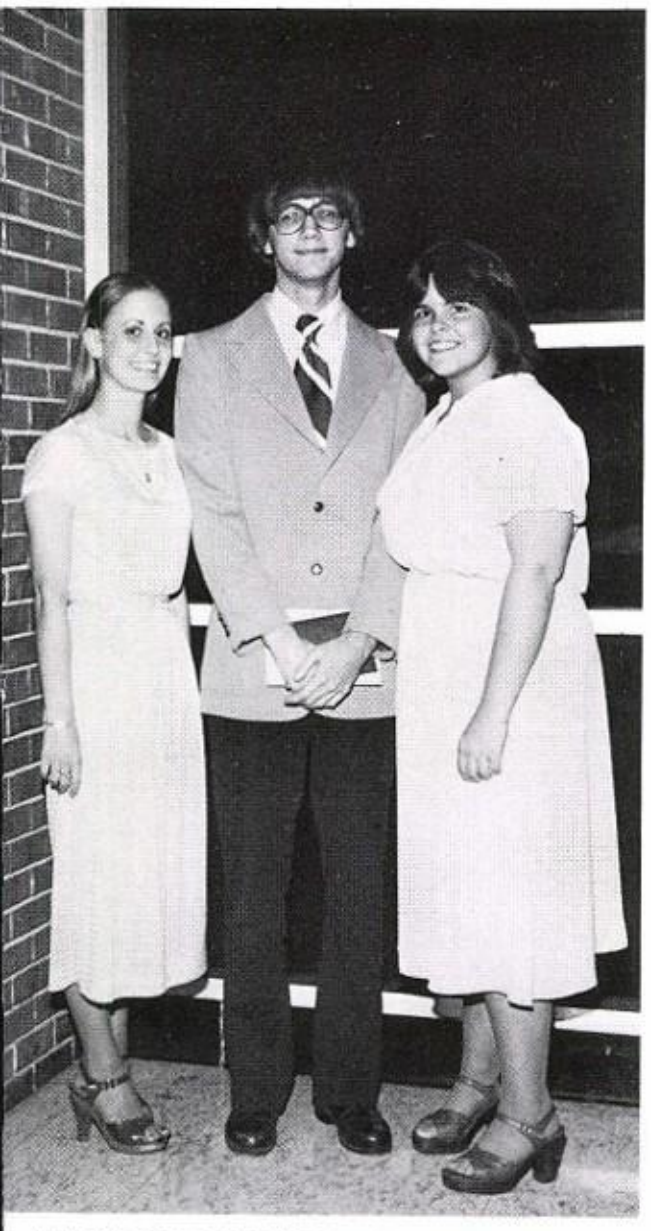
Students Honored At Awards Service

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY: FRONT ROW: Laura Semple, Lynette Schwechel, Beth Bruening, Laura Kucharski, Sandra Zellmer, Dawn Schaeffer, Sheri Stach, Laura Nelson, Debbie Bores, Sherry Rand. BACK ROW: Jim Marquardt, Alan Hafeman, David Vig, Tim Roser, David Krubsack, Mike Wagner, David Bliese, Jim Povlick, Don Heinen, Jim Hanson.

This year's Honor Awards Service was held on May 16. At this service, those students pictured on these pages were given awards for their outstanding academic achievement. (In addition to those pictured here, Evelyn Retzlaff, Lois Lange, and Nancy Heise were awarded by the Society of Women Engineers.) These students should be proud of their accomplishments and certainly deserve the recognition given them.

The service of the volunteers who served Martin Luther, such as the chapel ushers, math and science aides, yearbook staff, gym leaders, library aides, office aides, and receptionists were also recognized. These people deserve our thanks for giving of their time to help us.

Mr. Valleskey presents Honor Awards to valedictorians Mary Dobson and Karen Coogan.



VALEDICTORIANS: Mary Dobson, Karen Coogan. SALUTATORIAN: Richard Leske.

BADGER BOYS STATE: Dave Krubsack, Alan Hafeman. BADGER GIRLS STATE: Sheri Stach.

AMERICAN SOCIETY OF WOMEN ACCOUNTANTS: Laura Semple, Sheri Stach, Debbie Dores.

CHRISTIAN CITIZENSHIP AND SERVICE AWARD: Beth Stach, Rick Barwa.

Awards Given to Athletes

At the Athletic Awards Banquet, those students who excell in sports received awards for their skills. Among those honored were the most valuable and most improved athletes. Lisa Shilling and Dave Luethy were the Athletes of the Year.

MOST VALUABLE ATHLETES: FRONT: Carol Buncich, Michelle Meyers, Vicki Blazer. MIDDLE: Bob Sanders, Julie Kaphingst, Lisa Shilling, Dave Luethy. BACK: Tom Cutting, John Brunette, Jim Povlick, Steve Longstaff.

ATHLETES OF THE YEAR: Lisa Shilling, Dave Luethy.

SENIOR AWARDS: FRONT ROW: Joel Doepke, Paul Brant, Frank Cleppe, John Brunette, Dave Schuldt, Karyn Krebs, Julie Kaphingst, Lisa Shilling, Jenny Scott. BACK ROW: Dave Luethy, Brad Bluhm, Steve Longstaff, Kevin Kais, Dean Weil, Mark Harr, Tom Cutting, Gail Berkhahn, Chris Gruenewald, Vicki Blazer.

The trophies: an impressive sight.

Steve receives an award from Mr. Koepke.

MOST IMPROVED ATHLETES: FRONT: Beth Bruening, Colleen Hayes, Carla Oswald, Judy Nelson. MIDDLE: Joel Doepke, Steve Longstaff, Frank Cleppe. BACK: Kevin Kais, Jim Drobka, Mark Harr.

The guest speaker was Maurie Daigneau, former All-Big Ten quarterback.

ML And Milwaukee Lutheran Hold Prom Together

Parents, photographers and students before Prom.

Dave Bliese and Renee Posavec.

King and Queen: Steve Longstaff and Mary Dobson.

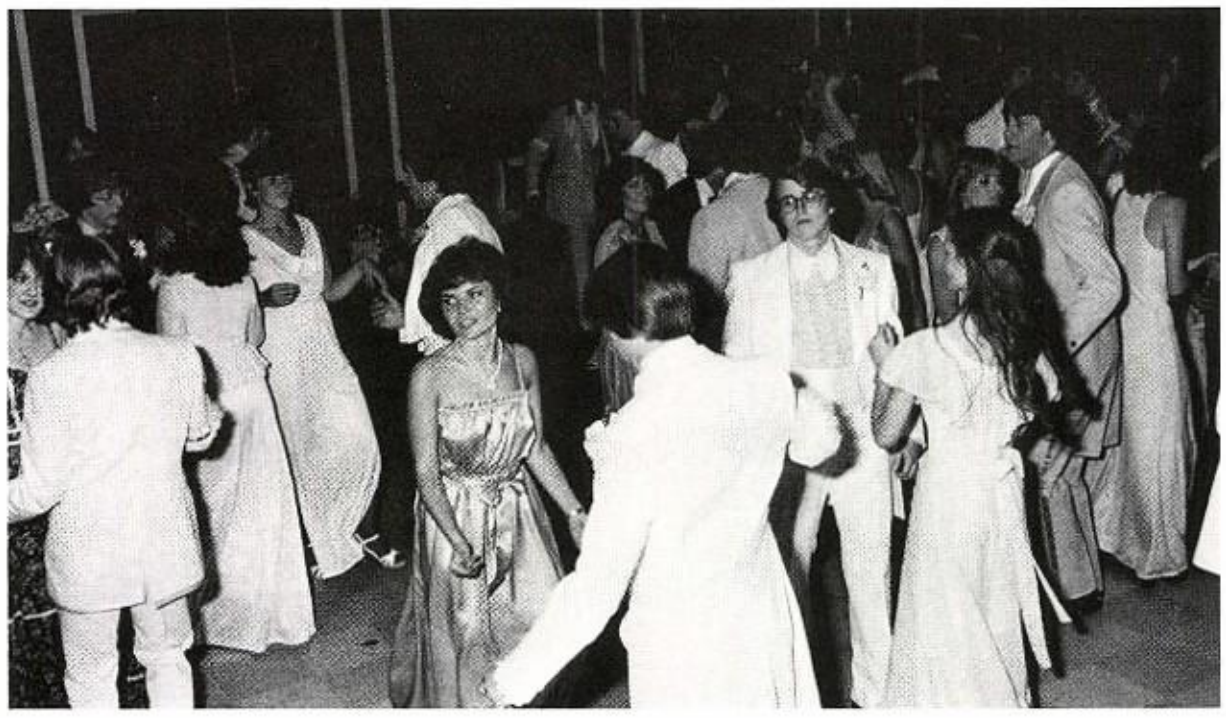
The 1979 Prom Court: Sheri Stach, Sandy Kurer, Linda Johnson, Carla Oswald, Renee Posavec, Dave Bliese, Jim Marquardt, Gary Martens, Jeff Otter, Mike Valleskey.

The 1979 prom was held on May 26 from 8 p.m. to 3 a.m. For the first time in history, there was a joint prom between Martin Luther and Mulwaukee Lutheran.

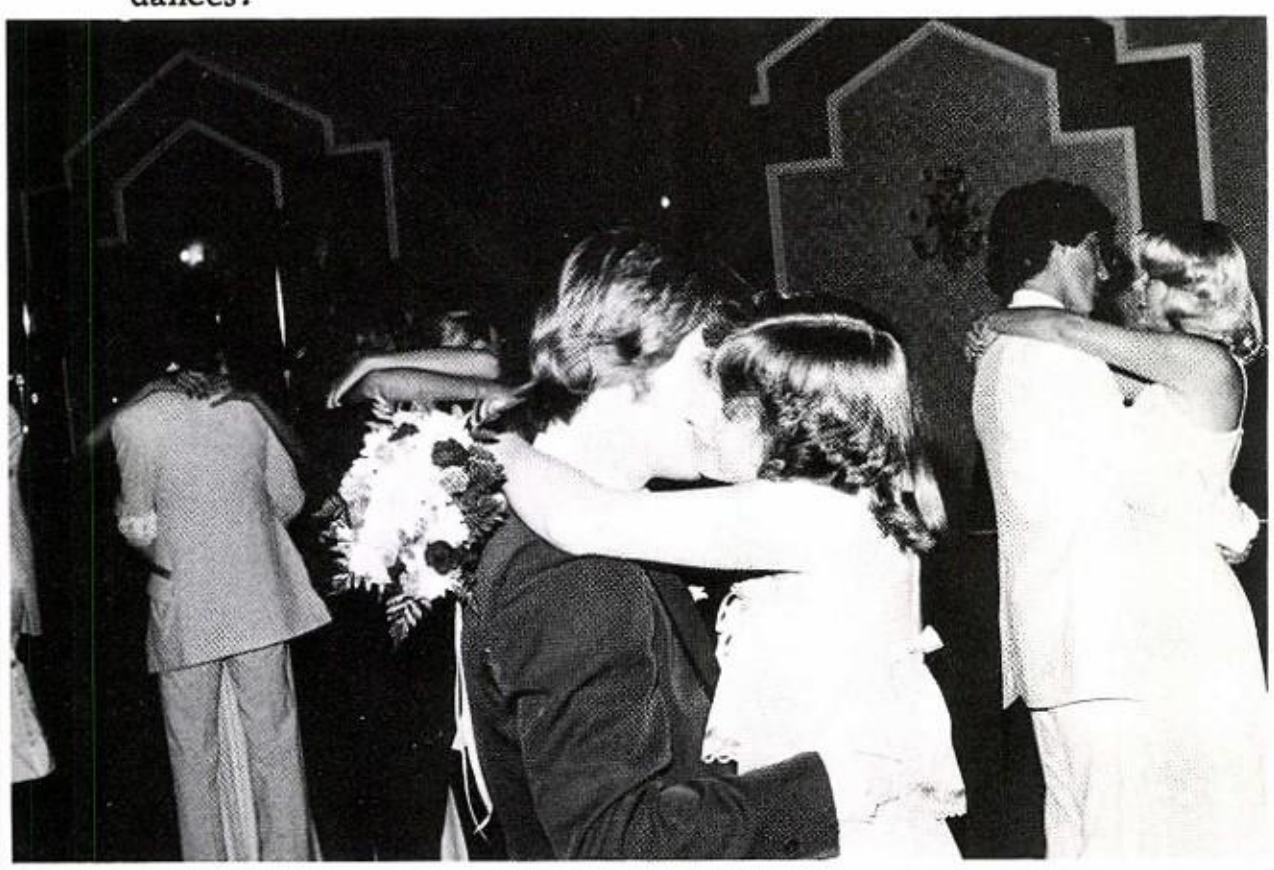
It was held at the Ramada Inn where the couples danced to the music of ''Harlequin'' and ''Rok-Tin''. A sumptuous steak dinner was served at 11:30

p.m., after which the post-prom was held. It was a time of romance and enjoyment for all, somewhere in the night.

Taking a breather between dances.



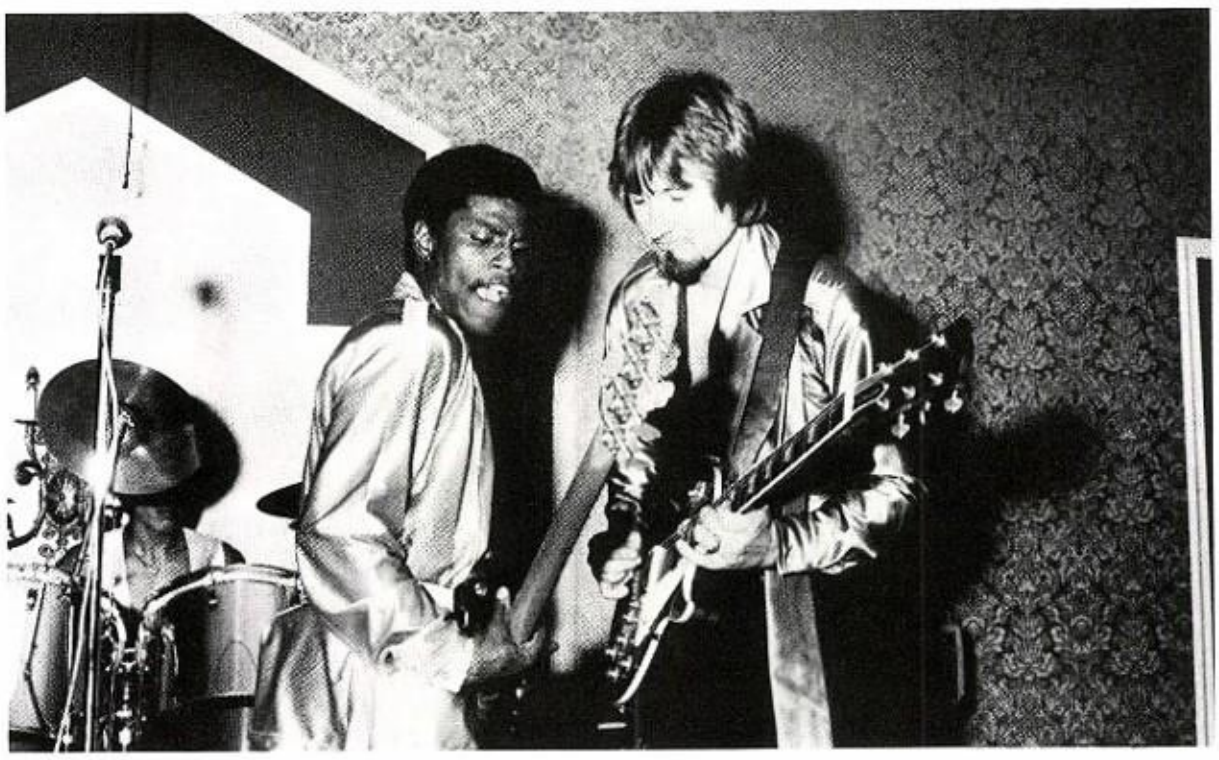
A time for song, dance and music.



A small kiss in the night.

A tender moment between two.

A time to talk.



A guitar duet by the band members of Harlequin.

Somewhere In The Night

Disco partners in the night.

Thanks, Julie, I needed that!

Everybody getting down.

Court members Sandy and Jim.

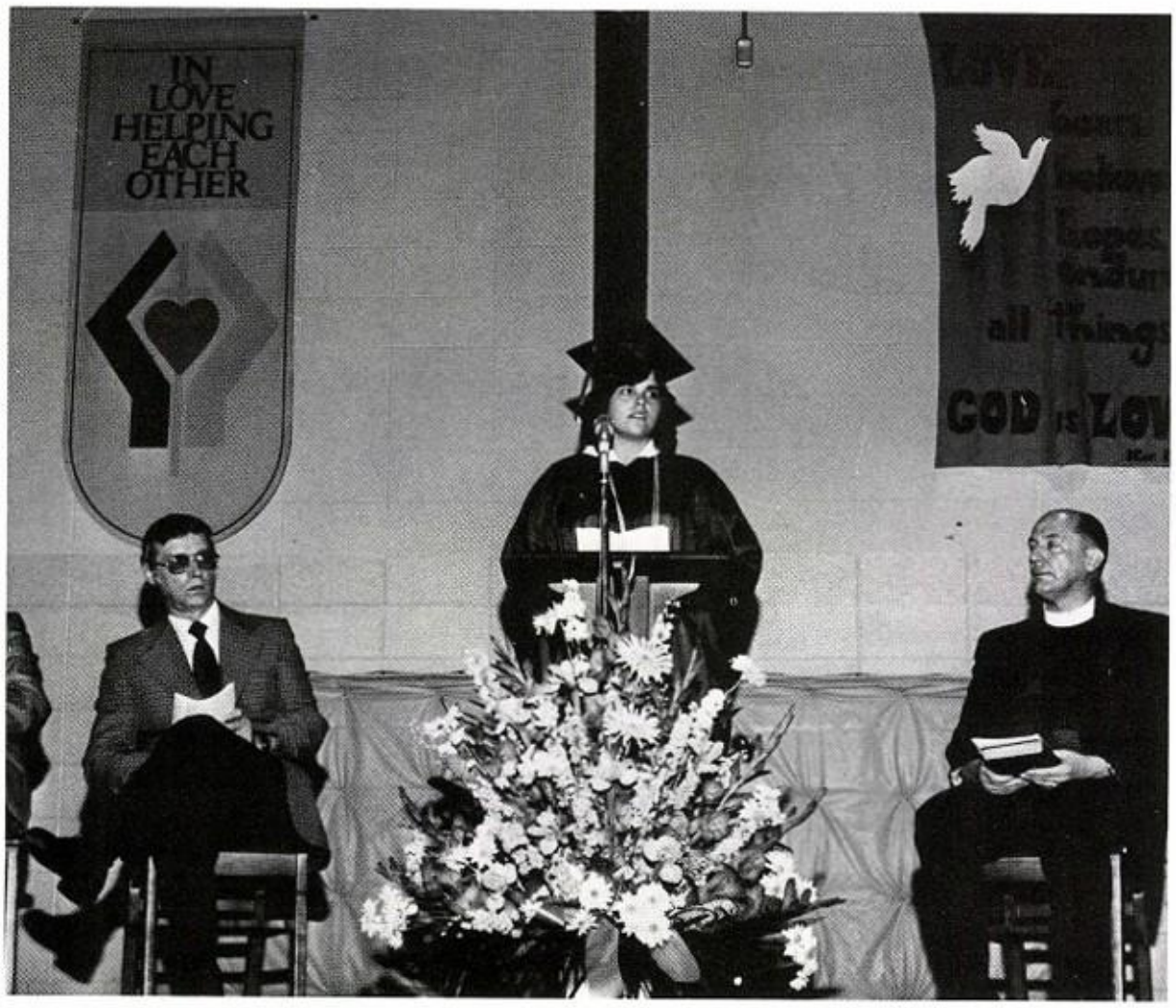
Steve gets the Imperial flavor.

Abby Miller and Gary Stelse.

See Trivia Questions #12, 15, 30.

A formal dinner to replenish the strength of the dancers.

Parents, Faculty And Students Say Farewell



Giving closing words of wisdom.

The liturgist and speaker.

The Last Year

I don't believe it!
Boy, these four years
Seemed like a lifetime.
I finally know where
Room 210 is.
I finally know
What each teacher is like.
School-what's it good for?
I won't miss the homework,
Or getting up at 5:30,
Or being tired at 10:00.
Plays? Dances? Oh, I'll go to them
Once in a while.
What about my friends?
I'll see them-
When I can.
Choir tour, interims, field trips.
Boy, were they fun.
The football games and
Basketball, too-I wonder
Who'll make the team next year.
I wonder.
Who'll go out and paint the rock?
School-what's it good for?
Everything!
I don't want to leave.

Jill Duszynski

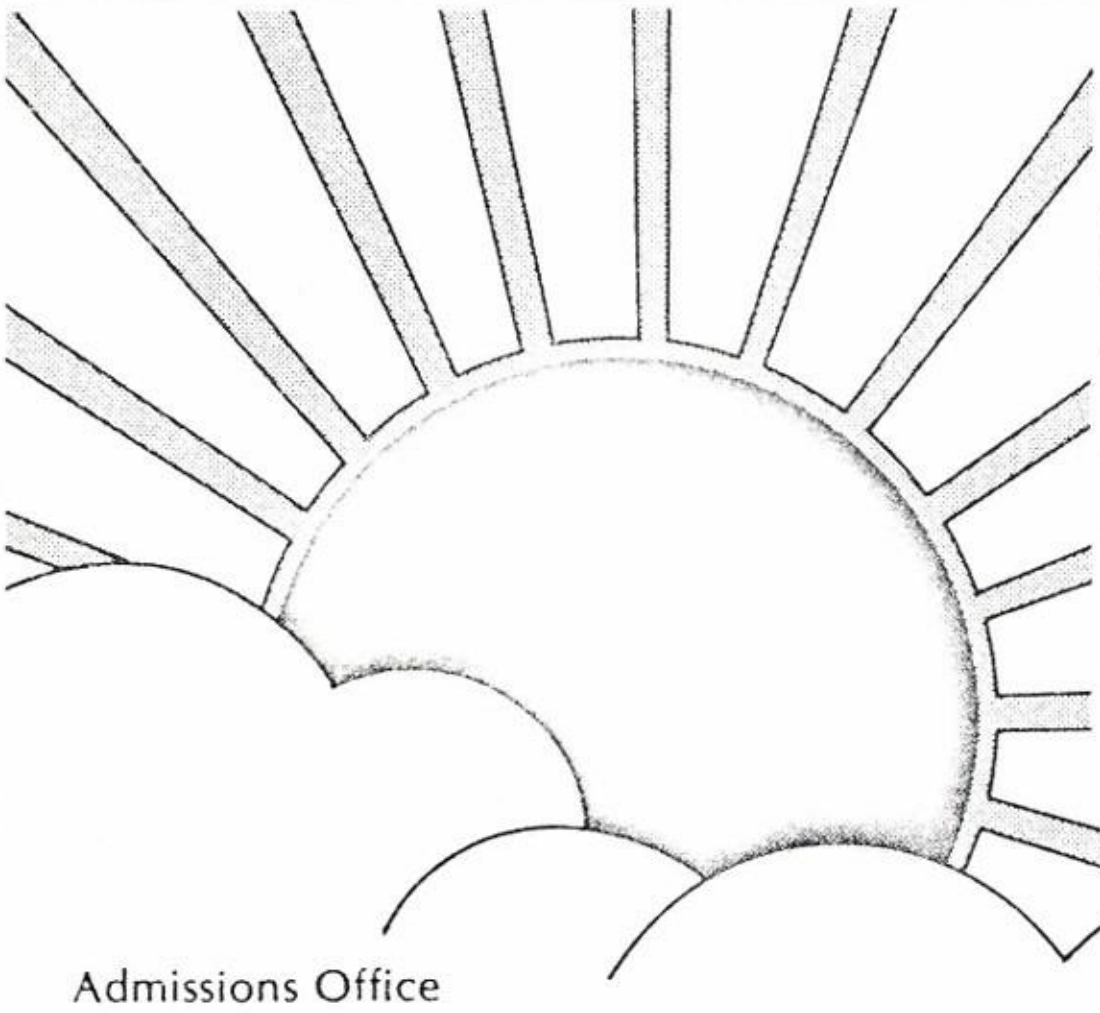
Salutatorian, Richard Leske.

The graduates enter.

Graduates offer a "Sacrifice of Praise".

Many people attended the graduation service.

Guest speaker Dr. Stelmachowicz.



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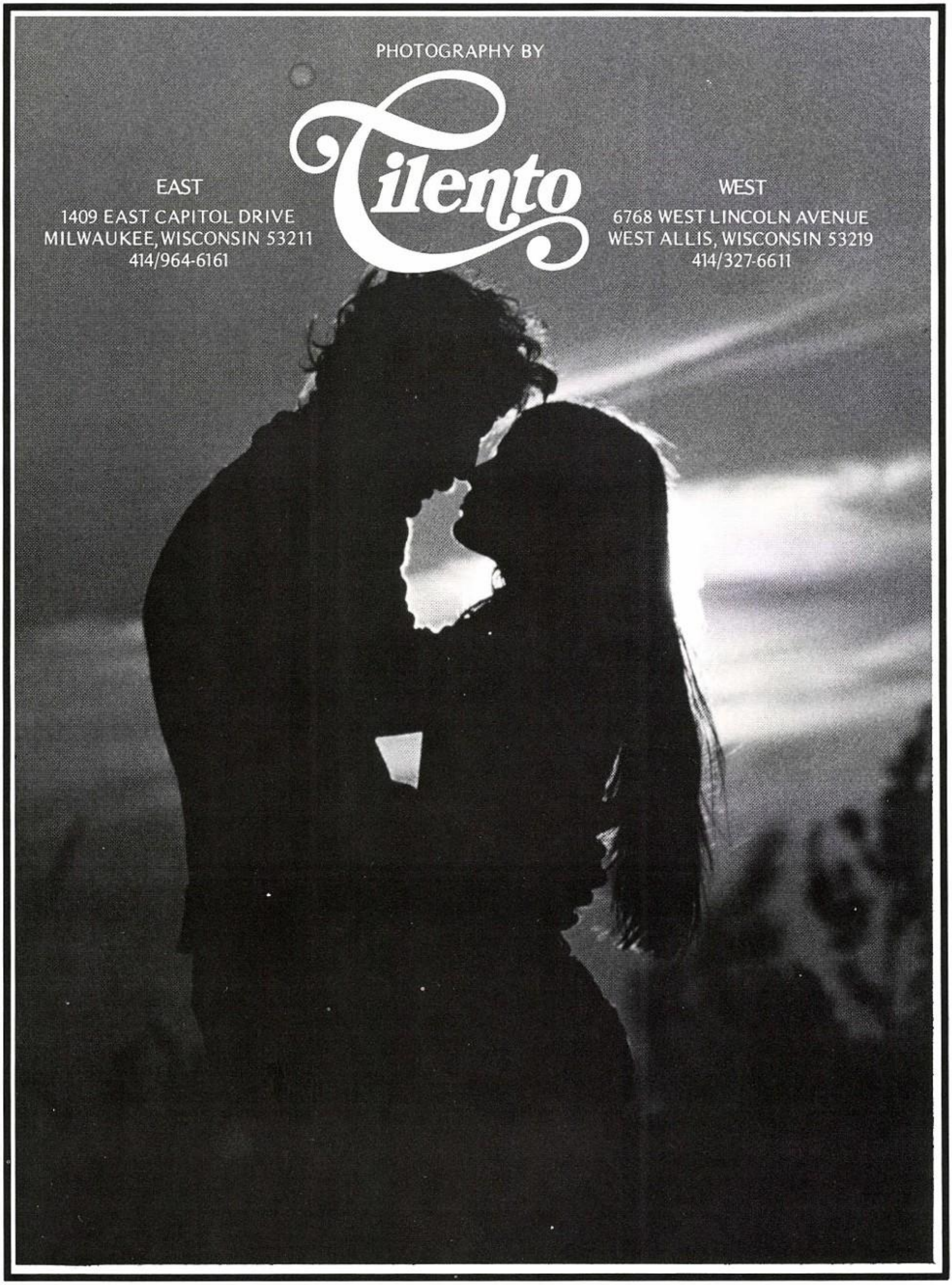

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HOMEROOM

Spartans Move Outdoors, Finish Third In Triangular

Despite the miserable weather of last week, the Martin Luther track team opened its outdoor season last Wednesday, finishing third in a triangular meet at the University of Wisconsin-Parkside.

Kenosha St. Joseph won the three team competition with 70 points while Racine Lutheran grabbed the runnerup spot with 56 markers. The Spartans, competing in only their second meet of the season, trailed with 36 points.

"We did well in some events and not so well in others," Martin Luther Coach Phil Herzog said. "The meet told us what we need to work on, endurance and field events. It also told us that we should be strong in the sprints and hurdles."

Spartan tracksters did win two events in the meet. Paul Povlick captured the 220 yard dash with a clocking of 23.2 seconds and R. G. Luckow hit the tape first in the 360 yard low hurdles with a time of 44.6 seconds.

Grabbing second places for the Martin Luther squad were Povlick in the long jump with a leap of 20 feet-2 inches; Dave Bliese, 65 yard high hurdles, 16.3 seconds; Paul Brandt, two mile; Steve Longstaff, mile run, and the 880 yard relay team of Povlick, Luckow. Bliese and Todd Hernke, 1:36.7.

Brandt added a third in the mile and Longstaff a third in the two mile. Rounding out Martin Luther's scoring was Jim Drobka, who placed fourth in the high jump with a leap of 5-8.

Martin Luther's effort was hampered because two members of the squad were out due to injuries. Dave Vig, the team's top pole vaulter, will be out approximately five weeks because of a broken hand and Dan Luedke will be out another week with a sprained ankle.

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ıe 3, 1979 Greendale, Wisconsin Final Edition**

Martin Luther Wrestlers Win

Sometimes surprises happen, and sometimes the surprise which very well might have happened never makes it.

Martin Luther wrestling coach Ted Richter thought it could happen, and it did, as his Spartans surprised Racine Lutheran on January 4, 29-22.

Coach Richter said determination was the key to the Spartan victory, singling out sophomore Dan Luedke at 145 pounds and heavyweight Tim Moravek as having wrestled especially well. With the score at 23-22 going into the final match, Moravek pinned his man to preserve the victory.

"All in all, the kids wrestled better," Coach Richter said, adding that the Racine Lutheran coach told him that the Spartans had surprised him.

Coach Gary Menzel said that the strong point of the team has been defense, noting especially the play of Lorraine Bruening. Offense has been the problem in the losses, however, especially free throw shooting. Against Divine Savior, the Spartans hit on only 8 out of 28 foul shots. The Spartans are very young, with three and sometimes four Sophomores starting. Coach Menzel said they are improving weekly, and will do all right "once the girls get acclamated to varsity basketball." As for the upcoming conference schedule, he promised, "we're going to surprise some teams."

Girls Basketball Fortunes Mixed

Martin Luther lost to Racine Prairie 35-33, on November 28, to Greenfield, 47-30, on November 30, and to Divine Savior-Holy Angels, 32-24, in the conference opener on December 7. Beth Bruening led the Spartans with eight points in the first game, and teamed up with Sheri LaBodda in the second game to lead with nine points apiece. Lone Senior Lisa Shilling scored 11 points in the loss to Divine Savior.

Bucket Scores Very Low

A two week layoff can either be a blessing or a curse. This year it proved to be both.

Martin Luther's boys basketball team picked up right where they left off before the Christmas break and played "exceptionally well" in a close non-conference loss to St. Joseph at Kenosha on January 5, Coach Al Koepke said.

After grabbing a 25-24 halftime lead, Martin Luther fell victim to foul trouble in the fourth quarter and St. Joseph slipped to a 68-57 victory.

St. Joseph's starting guards combined for 36 points, but this was not what killed the Spartans, Coach Koepke said. Kenosha pulled ahead in the fourth quarter after Martin Luther center Dave Leuthy fouled out, opening up the middle for the home team.

At the end, the Spartans were unable to keep up with the scoring of their opponents as their three high-scorers, Leuthy, Don Leifer, and Don Smith, were cramped by foul trouble. Leifer also fouled out, while Smith was ineffective late in the game with four fouls.

"I thought we played exceptionally well," Coach Koepke said. "I was really proud of the guys."

Smith led Spartan scorers with 17, while Leuthy and Brad Bloom added 10.

ALGEBRA: Standing: Jay Swenson, Alan Meitler, Mr. Gabler, Barb Blazer, Dave Treichel, Marcia Mason, Chris Ochs, Jo Anna Domagalski, Sue Jagusch, Craig Burt, Cheryl Oswald. Kneeling: Robert Jackland, Peter Berres, Karen Meurer, Sandy Kelley, Ellyn Gies, Sue Missun, Patty Kotlarek, Julie Harrison, Steve Golimowski, Ron Sell, Scott Haferman, Sitting: Ann Mroavec, Tracy Franz, Diana Brunner, Cathy Clemens, Kay Prueser, Brain Wegener, Carol Sujecki, Sue Peliska, Barry Akers.

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Miss Carey's First Hour English

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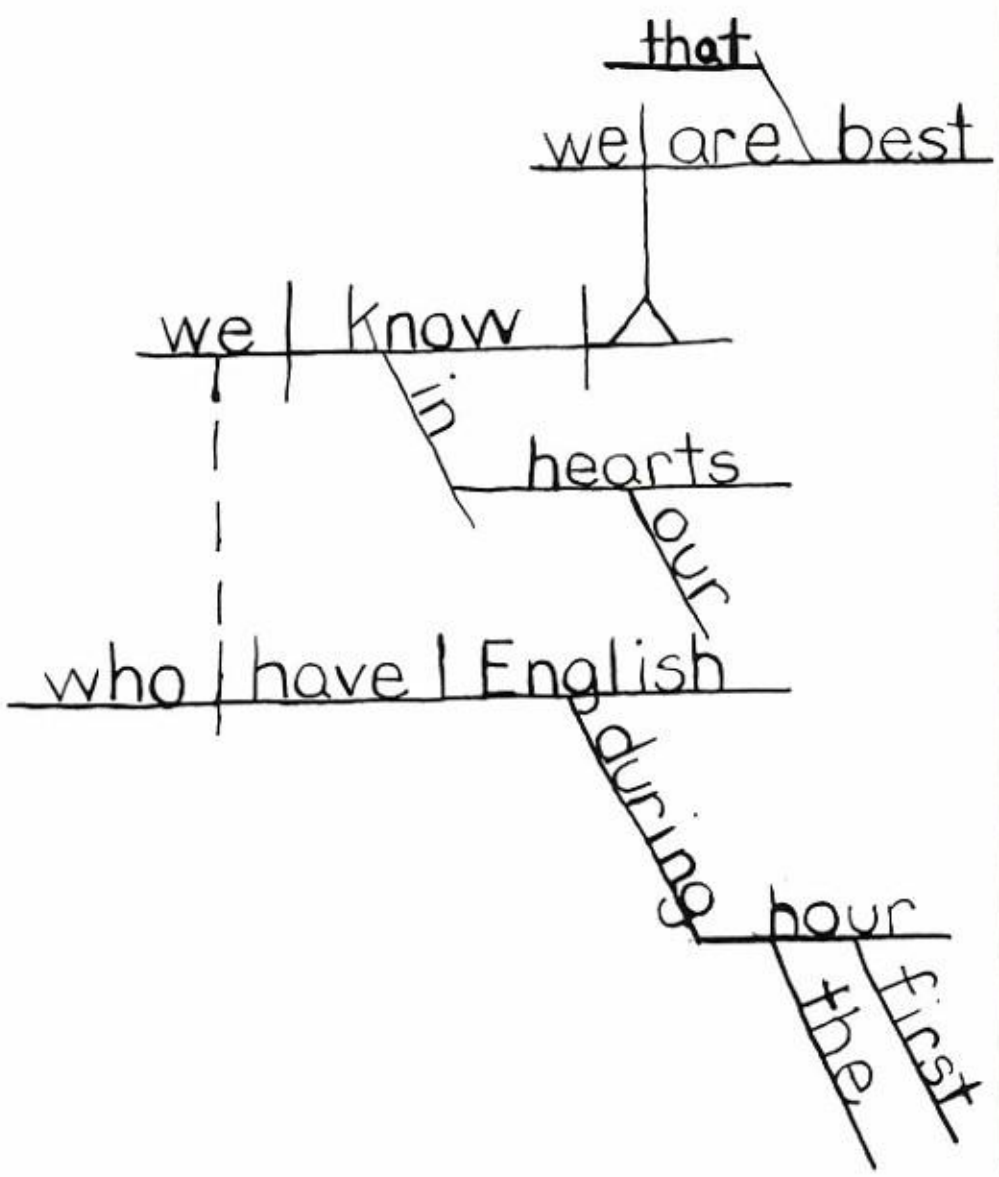

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As Macbeth says: ''Life is but a . . . shadow, a . . . Player that struts and frets his hour upon the stage, and then is heard'' again in Drama Class.

''Last semester, I had the pleasure,'' remembers Sherry Stach, ''of being in the 1st hour Drama Class. The director, Mrs. Kloehn, performed a marvelous task. She endured our plays. The class had a variety of emotional scenes. There were comedies, tragedies, and melodramas.'' The stars of ''Kloehn's Klan'' are as follows: Sandy Kurer, Beth Bruening, Laura Dahl, Sheri Stach, Carrie Reiss, Laura Nelson, Melinda Ames, Scott Perko, Rick Jahnke, John Gehlhaart, Becky Bahr, Mark Peterson, Nanette Kroenke, Daryl Kohlmeyer, Sue Hanson, Leslie Esche, Cathy Chojnacki, Karen Coogan, Gregg Bartrom, Bob Mayer, Lynnette Schwechel, Mary Beth Dobson, Craig Hambrock, Kevin Majors, Bob Rieck, Tim Serkowski, Sheri Rand, Mark Trunks, Rob Christiansen, Scott Consoer.

ADVANCED SPANISH: Chris Gruenwald, Julie Meissler, Dawn Schaeffer, Sandy Zellmer, Mike Wagner, Gary Onstad, Carol Reiske, Mrs. Sparks.

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CERAMICS: Mr. Richter, Dan Kanitz, John Hartel, Jeff Benka, Ron Bohn, Jim Kent, Brian Chladek, Collin Weir, Juli Sierzyn, Renee Whiting, Kevin Juds, Lori Krimplebine, Arlene Scherer, Mark Urban, Misty Esplund, Melissa Hendricks, Kris Berlinski.

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SPORTS

Spartans Lose Return Midwest Prep

The Martin Luther Spartans continued to have bad luck in nonconference play last Friday as they dropped a 68-57 decision to Kenosha St. Joseph's. The defeat marked the Spartans' third loss in as many tries against Metro Conference foes.

Martin Luther will resume Midwest Prep Conference action Friday when it travels to University School before returning home Saturday to face Racine Lutheran. Both games will start at 8 p.m.

University School was regarded as one of the Midwest Prep's top teams in a pre-season coaches' poll, but so far the Wildcats have managed only a 2-3 record. They have beaten Wayland Academy and Northwestern Prep while losing to St. John's, St. Mary's and Racine Lutheran.

Martin Luther Coach Al Koepke scouted the Wildcats Saturday night and was impressed by two of their players. "Charles Parker is their big gun. He's a 6-5 center and he's averaging about 16 points a game. Pepi Randolph is their playmaker and he's very quick and penetrates well. I'm a little surprised they lost to Racine Lutheran."

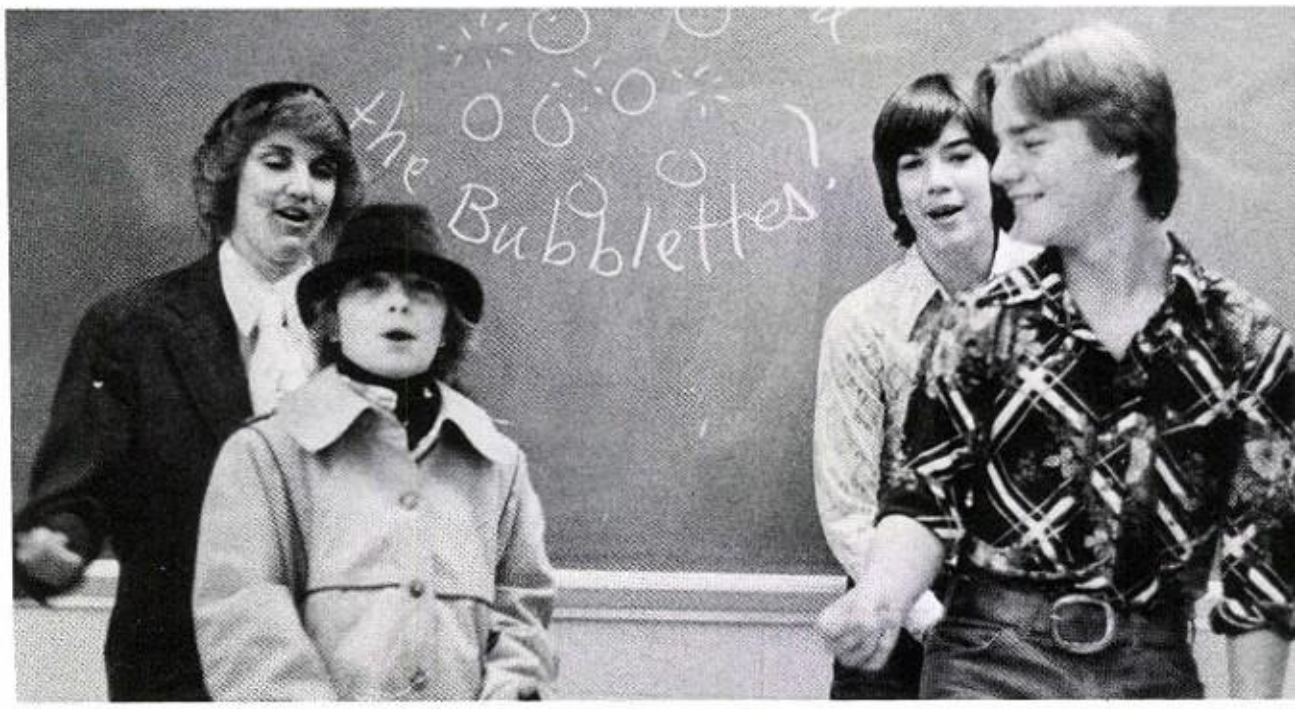
"Parker is University School's only big man," continued Koepke. "The rest of their players are around six feet tall. They like to use a 1-3-1 zone and it's been successful for them in the past."

Koepke seemed a little surprised by Racine Lutheran which looks like the Midwest Prep darkhorse so far this year. "They don't have a tall team, but they have a fine shooting forward, Brett Smith, and a quick little guard, Dave Babel. Babel scored 25 points against University School and he's effective from inside and outside."

According to Koepke, Racine Lutheran likes to use a 2-3 zone defense most of the time, and is capable of employing a dangerous fast break.

Last Friday Kenosha St. Joseph's displayed great quickness and took advantage of Martin Luther's foul problems en route to a 68-57 victory. The Lancers scored the game's first 11 points, then shot 60% in the second half to coast to victory.

After Martin Luther took a brief 25-24 halftime lead, foul problems set in. The Spartans' three big men—Dave Luethy, Brad Bluhm and Don Leifer—all picked up their fourth fouls in the third quarter and Luethy and Leifer eventually fouled out.



Gals Win; With Shooting

Martin Luther capitalized on fantastic free throw shooting to capture a 35-29 win over St. Joan Antida in its opening game. Lisa Shilling was high scorer with 18 points, including 8 for 10 free throws. Beth Bruening added 8 points, while Judy Nelson hit 4 out of 4 free throws for 4 points.

Just one week before, Martin Luther had beat the same team, 37-33, behind 17 and 13 points by Shilling and Nelson.

In a cheerful note, freshman Linda Lamm, a powerful four feet, eight inches in height and playing in only her second varsity game, scored 8 points in a January 23 loss to Messmer, 53-15.

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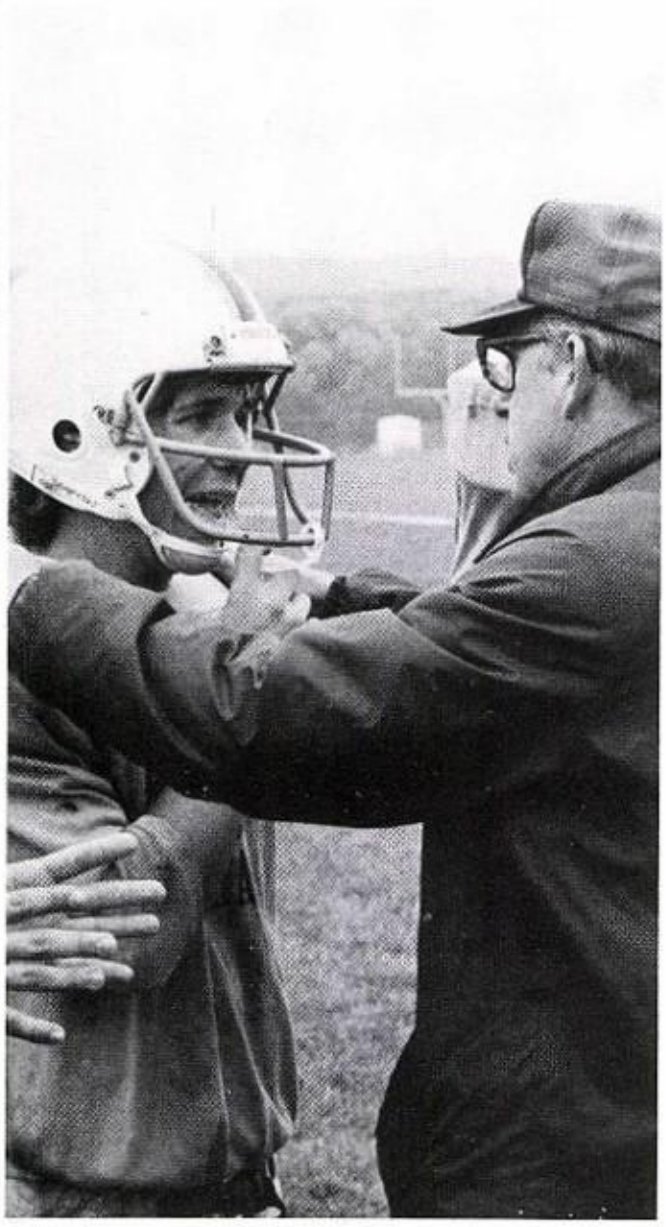


The Martin Luther Spartans will get back into Midwest Prep conference action Saturday when they travel to Watertown to meet Northwestern Prep at 2 p.m.

The Spartans, 1-1 in conference play, defeated South Beloit in a nonconference game last week, 28-8. Northwestern (6-2) took it on the chin from Burlington St. Mary's last Saturday, 33-0.

Gene Schneider's injury-ridden Spartans received another crushing blow when they lost Don Smith in the South Beloit game. Smith dislocated his left elbow when tackled on a reverse play and will probably be lost for the season. Scott Perko

Spartans Rout Nonleague Foe

sprained his ankle in the first half, but he may be able to play against Northwestern Prep.

Schneider is still disappointed with his team's blocking and passing game. "We have our running game going strong now, but our passing game has been very weak. I'd also like to see improvement on our downfield blocking."

Northwestern Prep had a bad day against St. Mary's, but they are a big and strong team according to Schneider.

"We scouted them against University School and they looked pretty tough," Schneider said. "Their quarterback, Tom Parlow, is about 6-4 and has a very strong arm. He has two good receivers in Steve Bitter and Mike Boldt."

Schneider expects Northwestern to go to the air. They passed for over 100 yards in their first two games, but were stopped by St. Mary's.

"We used Mike Valleskey at safety when Smith was injured and he did a great job," said Schneider. "I'm not sure who will take his place on offense. There should be some good competition in practice this week."

The Spartans scored against South Beloit early in the first quarter following a South Beloit fumble. Jim Povlick scored the first touchdown on a 12 yard run, then added the two point conversion, to give the Spartans an 8-0 lead.

After forcing South Beloit to punt, the Spartans sustained another scoring drive, capped by John Brunette's one yard touchdown plunge. Povlick again converted the two pointer and Martin Luther held a 16-0 lead.

In the second quarter, the Spartans got their third touchdown on a run by Dean Kennedy. They missed the conversion this time, but went to the lockerroom with a 22-0 lead.

On their second possession of the third quarter, the Spartans moved down into South Beloit territory again and Povlick scored his second touchdown of the afternoon, making the score 28-0.

South Beloit got its only touchdown with about 30 seconds remaining in the game. By that time, the Martin Luther reserves were in the game giving the regulars a rest.

"Our guys were pretty banged up," said Schneider. "Smith and Perko had to leave the game and Povlick was shaken up again. We only suited up 26 men, so the troops were getting thin."

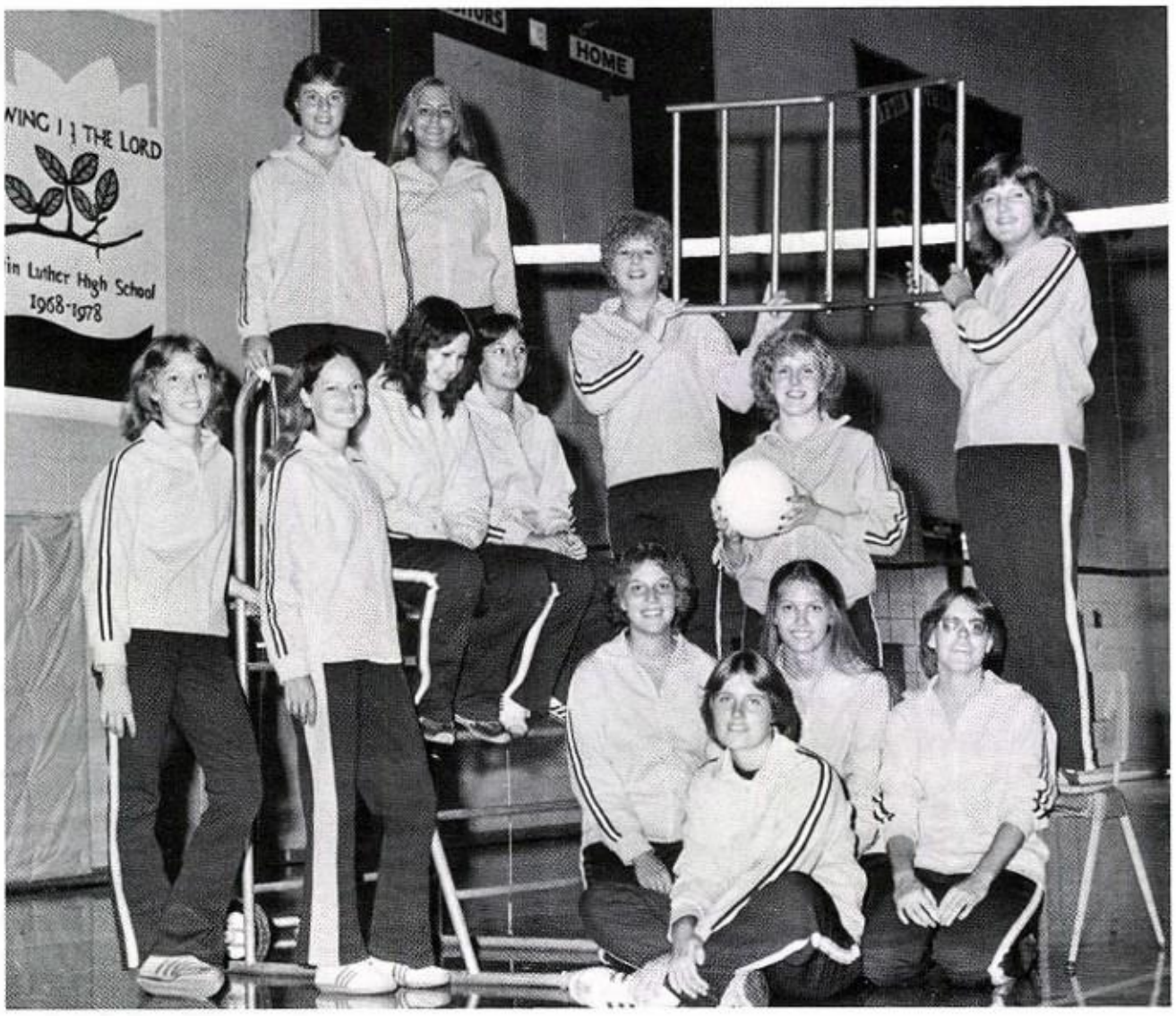
The Spartan defensive front, led by Steve Horn, Frank Cleppe and Dave Luethy had their second big game in two weeks and Dean Kennedy, Jeff Otter, and Dwayne Mittag also played well, according to Schneider.

"John Brunette called his best game of the season for us," said Schneider. "He always came up with the right play at the right time."

The Spartans will definitely be hurt by the loss of Smith, so Povlick and Brunette will have to pick up the slack against Northwestern Prep.

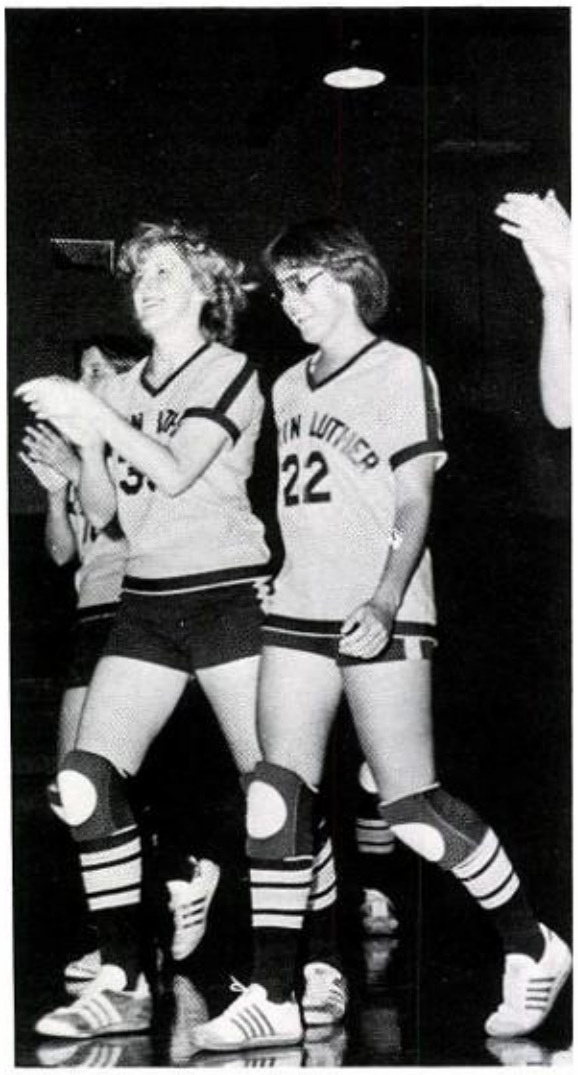
Set It Spike It . . .

Karyn Krebs, a member of this year's Varsity Volleyball team said that "getting along with your teammates is as important as the game itself. You must have a certain amount of togetherness and looseness among the players before you can even begin to be a team and work together to improve." The team worked together well, led by M.V.P. Vicki Blazer and M.I.P. Judy Nelson.



Top row: Carey Clemens, Dawn Shaeffer. Middle row: Lorraine Bruening, Coach Moore, Renee Possavec, Karyn Krebs, Lisa Shilling, Leslie Esche, Lori Pieske. Bottom row: Vicki Blazer, Judy Nelson, Beth Bruening, Laura Nelson.

She gives it all shes got.

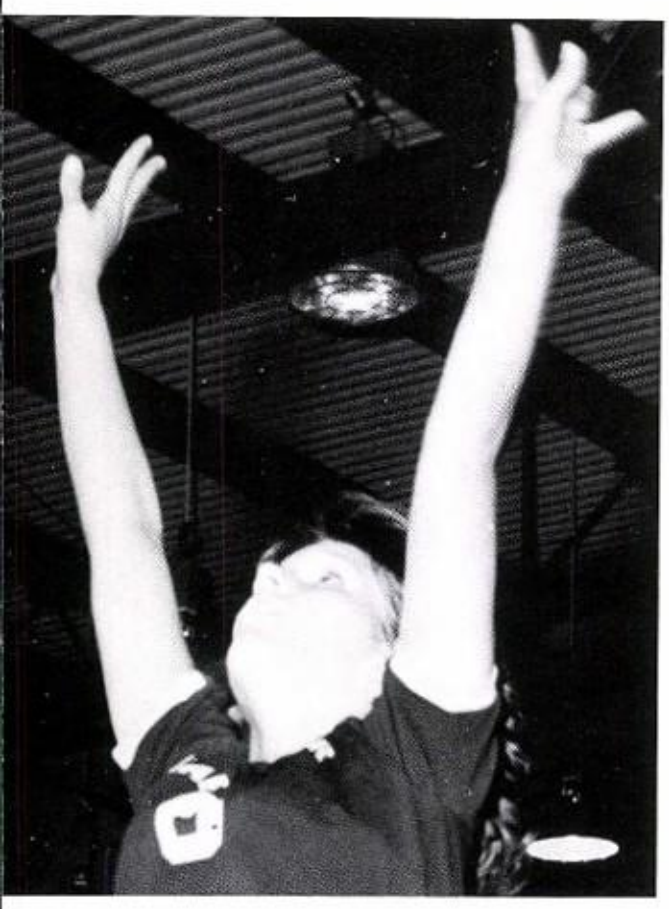


The team walks out with a victory.

The team plots out a play.

. . . That's The Way We Like It!

The Team is as follows: Top Row: Coach Gabler, Beth Drews, Linda Graf, Sheri LaBodda, Carol Buncich, Pam Stelse, Kim Harr. Bottom Row: Wendy Scales, Lynn Belinski, Diane Grunewald, Cathy Clemens, Linda Lamm, Pat Davey, Robin DuKatz, Linda Kaphingst, Mary Schnieder.



Reach for the sky!

This year's J.V. Volleyball Team was led by most valuable players, Sheri LaBodda and Beth Drews to a 9-5 over all record and 5-5 conferance record.

''Winning is important. If a team plays its best and loses, there is no problem. However, when you lose to a team you should have beat, that's hard to take. I guess I'm saying that playing well comes first, with winning close behind.'' Mr. Gabler It was a good season.

The members of the J.V. football team were: from left to right, top row: Coach Mangels, Roger Wittel, John Grahm, Andrew Hafeman, John Retzlaff, Bill Lee, Coach Cattau, Coach Widenhoffer, second row: Todd Hernke, Chris Thone, Karl Cleppe, Bill Daka, Paul Heise, Brian Dey, Randy Godsell, Doug Beese, third row: Rick Albrecht, Todd Tunks, Jeff Schmidt, Jim Kent, Bill Wellman, Brian Chladek, John Fichen, Kenton Kais, bottom row: Tim Moravic, Marc Monreal, Mark Troeger, Kevin Hingiss, Steve Bend, Bill Gross, Todd Schultz, John Klinge, and Curt Stienhaus.

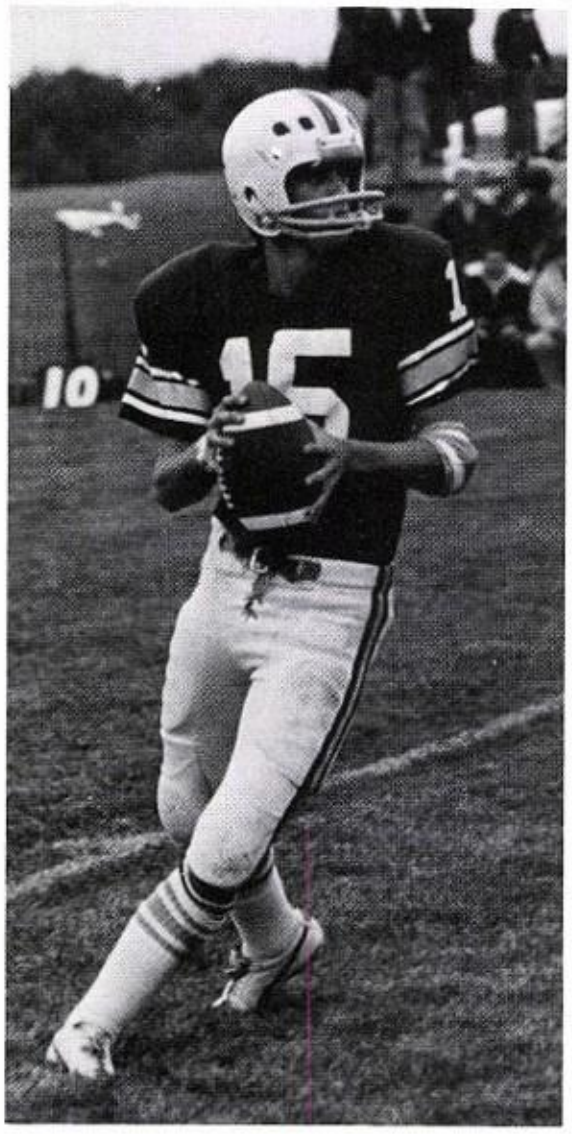
The J.V. team showed fierce competitive spirit and played well on the field, even when they were down.

Brian Dey was asked about his opinion concerning the J.V. squad, "We had a pretty good season this year, for J.V. We ended up with a 4-2 record in conference, which isn't too bad. The players overall, were tough and wouldn't quit when things were down, but if it weren't for the fine conditioning by coaches Cattau, Mangels, and Widenhoffer, the team wouldn't have done as well."

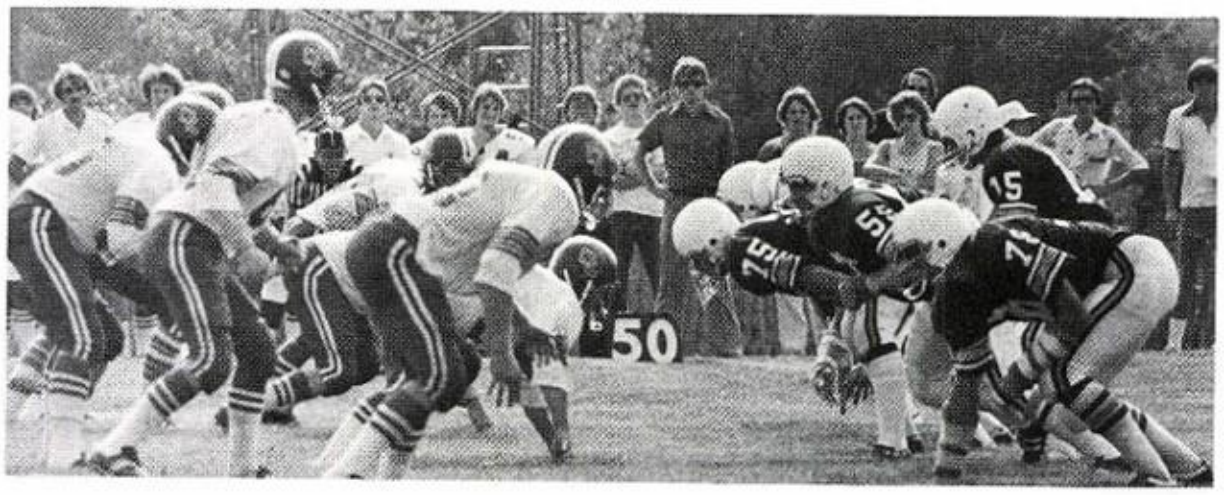
JV Shows Potential

The J. V. football team was able to hike themselves to a successful season.

The Spartan Varsity Football team consisted of: from left to right, top row: Coach Steve Schneider, Coach G. Schneider, Coach Richter, second row: Dan Luethy, R. G. Luckow, Daryl Kohlmeyer, Don Smith, Dan LeVan, Dave Bliese, Gary Martens, Jeff Otter, Mike Vallesky, third row: Tim Koehn, Dave Rediske, Jeff Loe, Ted Heise, Jim Povlick, Scott Haupt, Greg Bartrom, Mark Harr, Dan Luedtke, Dwayne Mittag, bottom row: Ryan Block, Dean Kennedy, Rick Barwa, Dave Luethy, John Brunette, Steve Horn, Scott Perko, Rick Jahnke, Frank Cleppe.



Quarterback, John Brunette showing good passing form.



The Spartans faced a number of formidable teams and whether they won or lost, they usually put up a good fight.

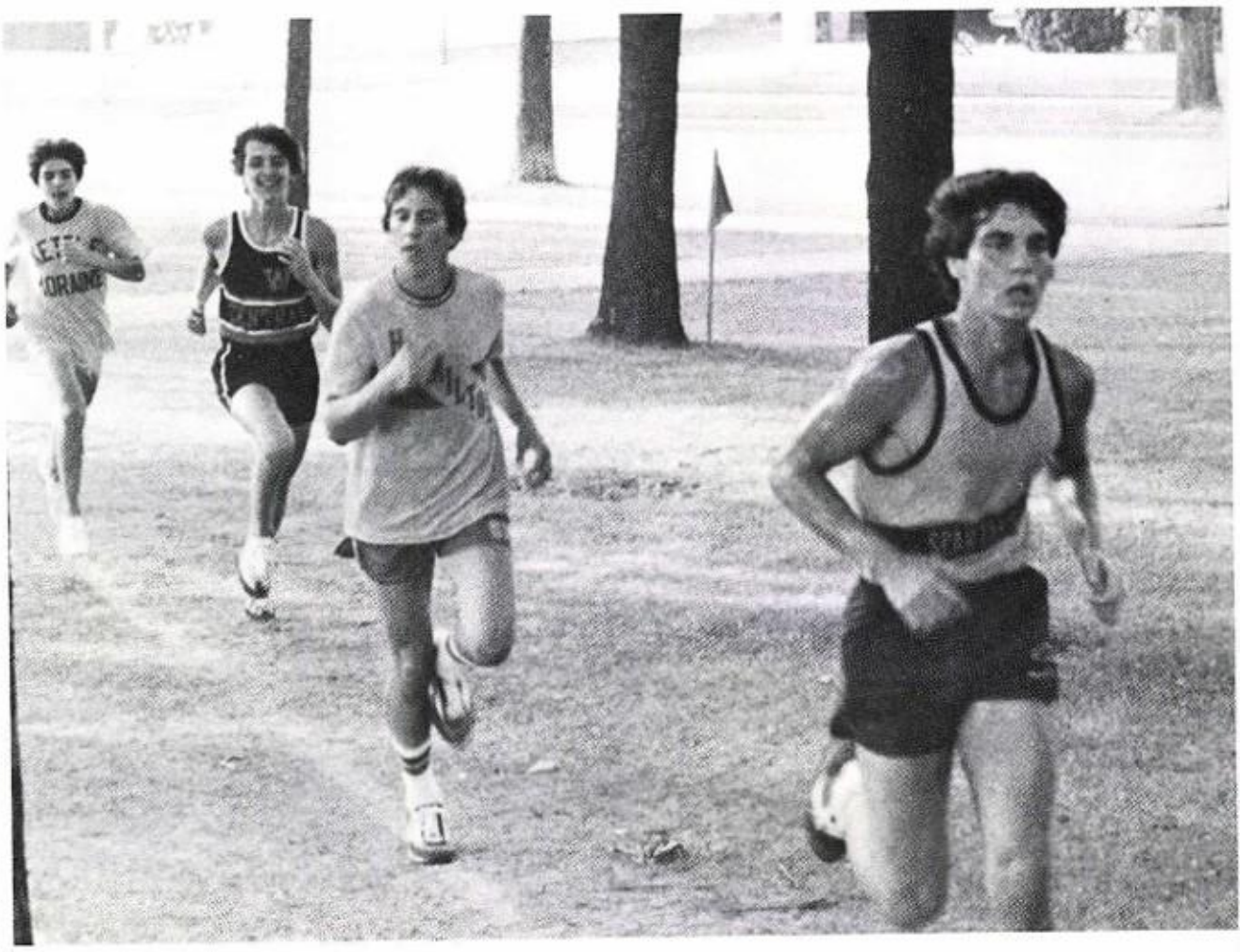
John Brunette was asked about how his team did during the year. He replied, "One thing which the Spartans probably lacked most in this season was the strength in numbers. The Spartans were picked as the Midwest Prep title favorite in the preseason poll of the coaches, but injuries and mistakes cost them. They finished with a 3-3 conference record and a 5-4 record overall. The all-conference players this year were: Frank Cleppe, Steve Horn, and Jim Povlick."

Injuries Send Team Backwards

Marathon Men Strike Again:

Steve Longstaff offered some of his thoughts concerning how his team performed:

"This year's Cross Country team was the best in Martin Luther's history. We still are not quite good enough to defeat University School; however, we did finish second in conference and fifth in state. Paul Brandt and myself led the team this year as seniors. Doug Smith will have to lead the team next year as a junior. The other varsity runners, all returning next year are: Jim Marquart, Howard Hughs, Bob Sanders, and Doug Schroeder. Coach Herzog did a good job this year, and we're sure he will even do a better job next year."

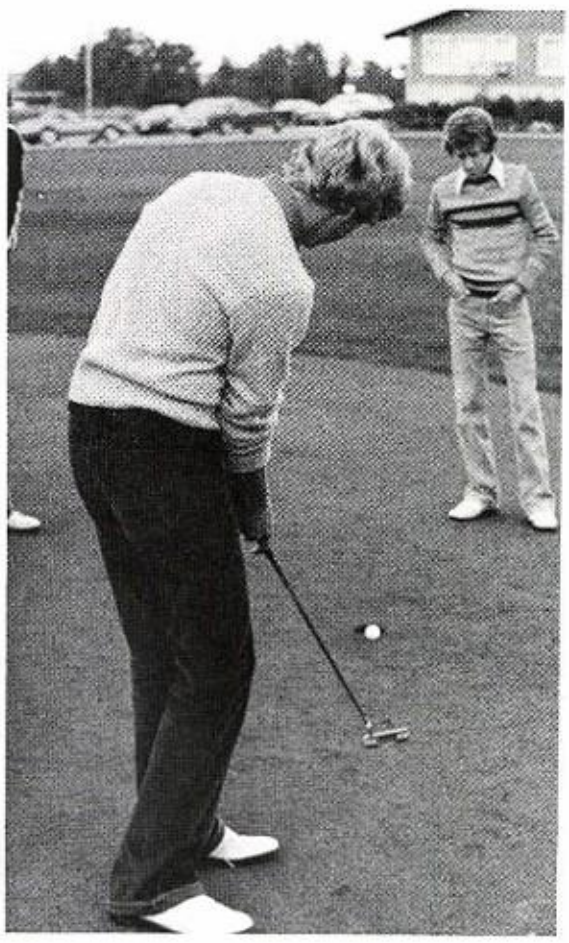


Senior Steve Longstaff, one of the team's leading runners, pulls ahead of the other runners.

The members of the cross country team were: Steve Longstaff, Paul Brant, Doug Schroeder, Jim Marquardt, Bob Sanders, Howard Hughes, Doug Smith, Ron Kramer, Brian Wegener, Don Krubsack, Ron Sell, Bob Hansen, Mgr. Brian Dethlaff, and Coach Herzog.

The golf team for the 1978 season follows as: from left to right; Joel Doepke, John Gelhaart, Bob Rieck, Peter Halstead, Todd Kumbera, and Mike Wagner. The coach was Mr. Doepke and those who weren't pictured are: Ken Kieweg, Tom Knoll, and Dave Green.

Team work is Todd Kumbera and Mike Wagner helping Peter Halstead.



John Gelhaart showing Peter Halstead how it's done.

Golf Team Swings Into Good Season

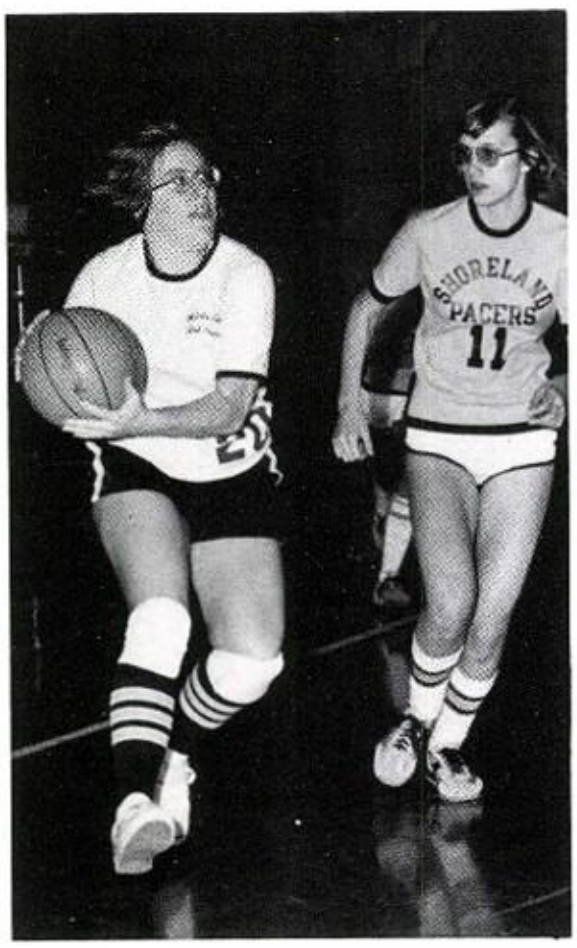
"Tell us about your golf team," Joel Doepke was asked. This was his reply:

"Golf, at first glance, may seem to be a very dull sport, but if you ever played it or knew the facts about it, you'd change your mind about it. This season's golf team was the best in the school's history. One of the reasons is because we have depth in our team. We have three or four pretty good players instead of only one or two as in years before. Because we had depth this year, we were able to defeat Muskego's team for the first time since we started playing them. We also placed better in state regionals then any other past Martin Luther team. To top it off, we broke the school record twice this year which has to be some sort of record. This year's varsity players were: the number one man, Todd Kumbera; number two man, Joel Doepke; number three and four men, Bob Rieck and John Gelhaart. The fifth man was either Pete Halstead or Mike Wagner. The team finished third in the conference. As I said, the team will only be losing one player who will be graduating this spring. This year was a good year, for the most, but the next Martin Luther golf team should look forward to a better and stronger team."

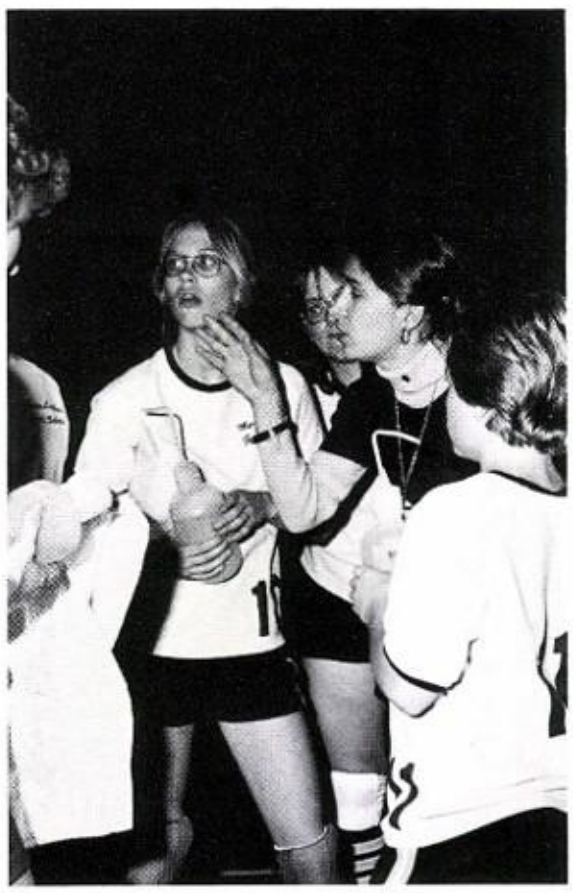
The J.V. Team Basketball team consists of: Top Row: Lynn Prueser, Linda Lamm, Traci Drobka. Middle Row: Debbie Cieslak, Pam Stelse, Lori Oswald, Mary Schneider, Nancy Grunewald, Cathy Kolhmeyer, Colleen Hayes. Bottom Row: Mrs. Menzel, Julie Gierach, Lynne Gray, Nancy Kocher, Robyn Buchwald.

Come Out Shooting

Even though the J.V. team came into the season with almost all new members they did well. We talked to Mary Schnieder, a member on the team, about this year's season and what she thought about team effort and the importance of getting along with other teammates. She replied ''That's #1 in putting a team together to cooporate. If you don't get along with each teammate it's pretty hard to as a team.'' She also commented the team ''played some tough teams and we tried hard''. Well, that's what really counts! Good-Luck for next year!



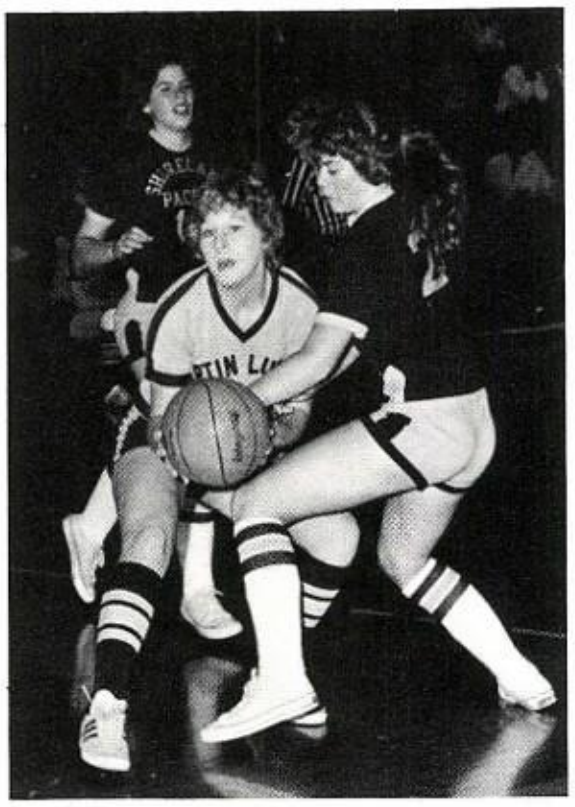
''Make that lay-up!''



''Get it right this time!''

Tip It To The Spartans

The Varsity Basketball team consists of: Top Row: Sheri LaBodda, Janice Otto, Second Row: Cheryl Lanphier, Mr. Menzel, Sandy Madison, Laura Kucharski, Donale Kramer, Pat Sorcic, Beth Bruening, Sandra Zellmer, Judy Nelson, Peggy Hanes, Lisa Shillings, Lorraine Bruening.



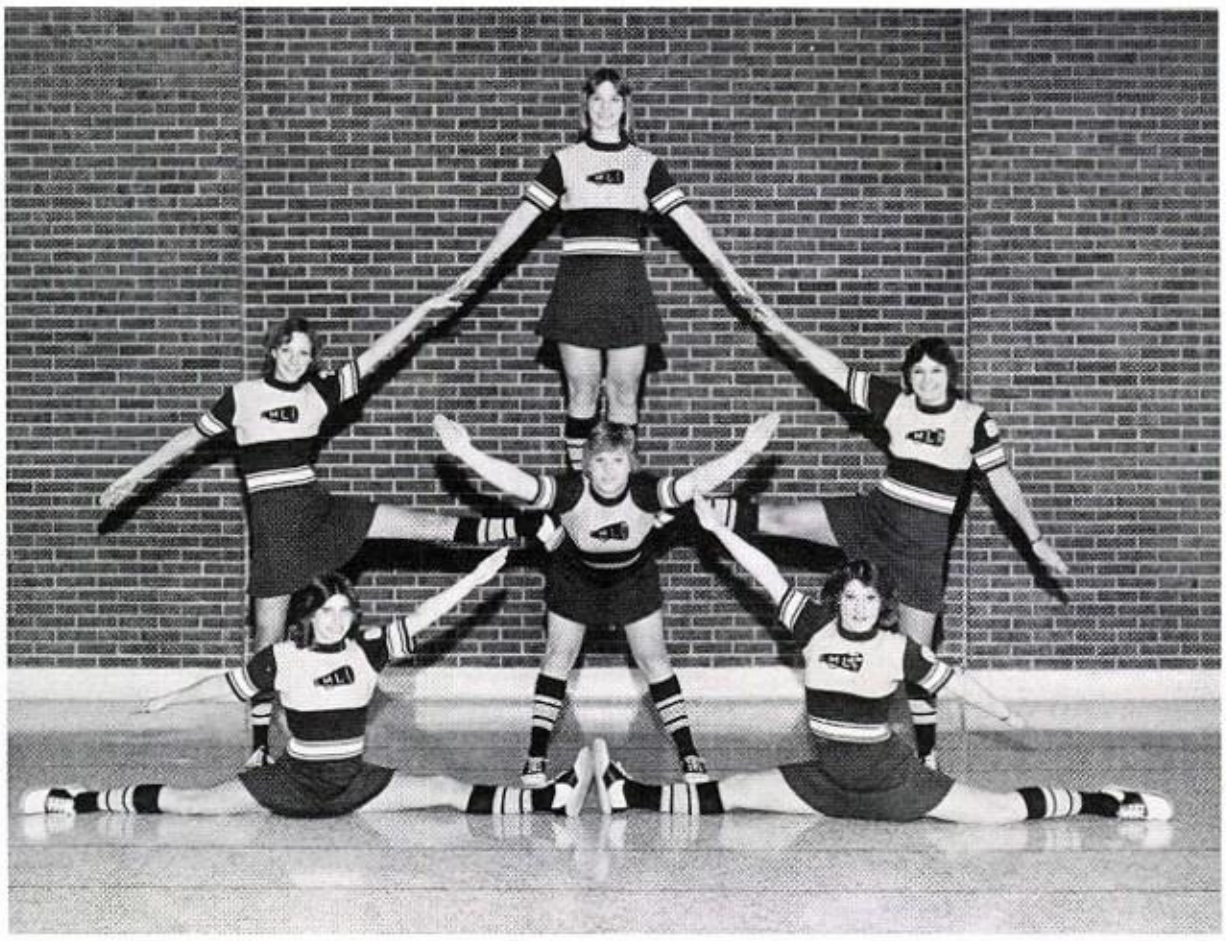
"Struggle for VICTORY."

The Varsity Basketball team had a tough season. There was a lot good coaching with Mr. Menzel. Lorraine Bruening told us that "although the team's games didn't improve there was a lot of personal improvement." The only senior on the team was Lisa Shilling and she will be greatly missed next season. Hopefully next year the Varsity Basketball team will be more successful as most of the girls will be returning next year.

Listen carefully.

How 'Bout A Color Shout!

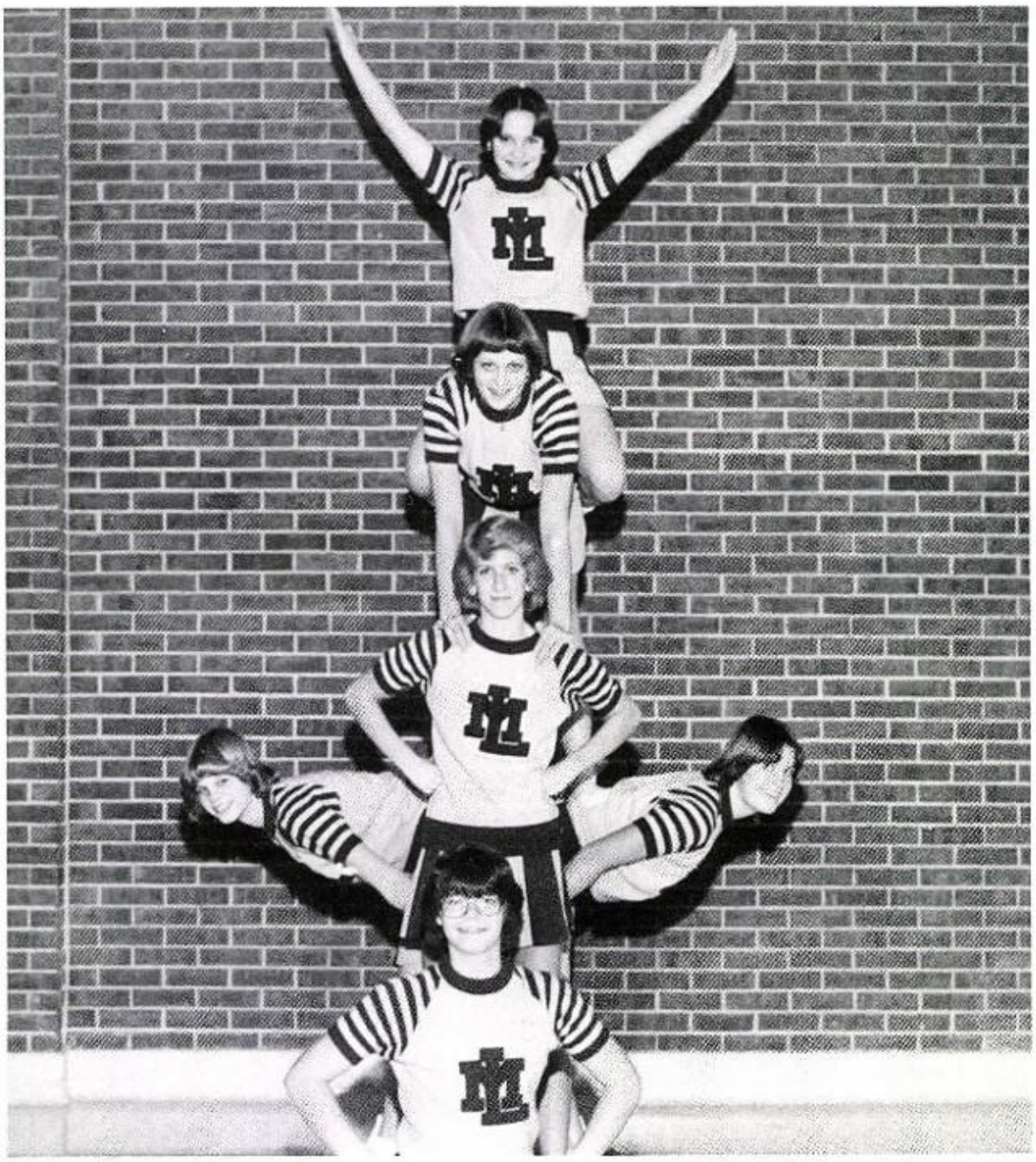
During the past year, the Varsity Cheerleaders led the fans and team through another year of Football, Basketball, and Wrestling. With energy and spirit, through thick and thin; victory and defeat, they kept the spirit of ''we can do almost anything''. Both squads did a super job by performing many new stunts. Next year's squad should prove to be a leader also.



The Varsity Cheerleading Squad is as follows: Top; Julie Kaphingst, 2nd Row; Gail Berkhahn, Lisa Shilling, Shari Rand, 3rd Row; Debbie Bores, Shari Perko.

''Did you here the one about ..... ?''

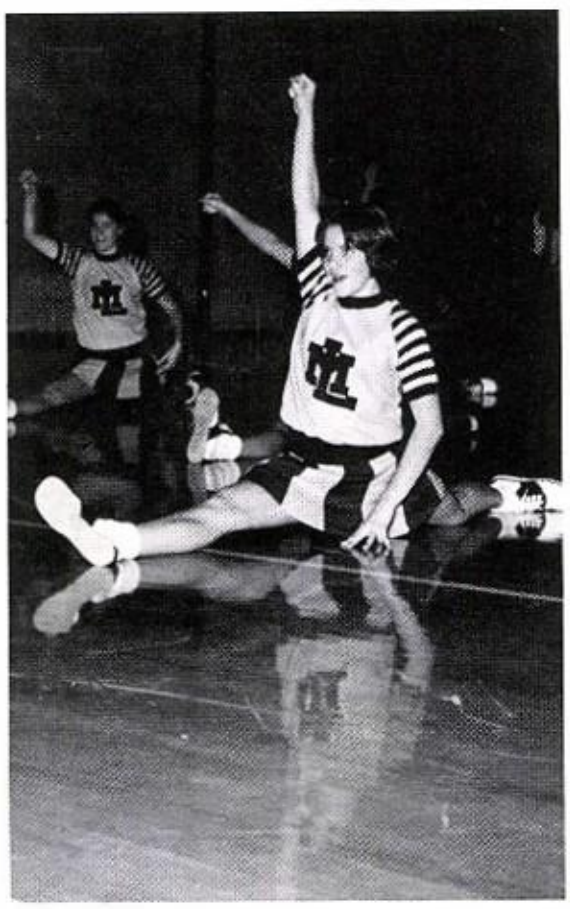
It's Polka Time! ! !



The Junior Varsity Cheerleading Squad consists of: Top; Diana Brunner, 2nd Row; Jeanne Beck, 3rd Row; Linda Graf, Sue Jagusch, Judy Nelson, Bottom; Cheryl Oswald.

We asked Linda Graf what she felt this past season on the Junior Varsity squad was like. She responded, "The J.V. squad led the fans through a thrilling season. We had a lot of pep and encouragement for the team and fans, and this led to a successful season. With the freshmen from this year, we should have a strong Junior Varsity squad next year."

What's Our Battle Cry? V-I-C-T-O-R-Y



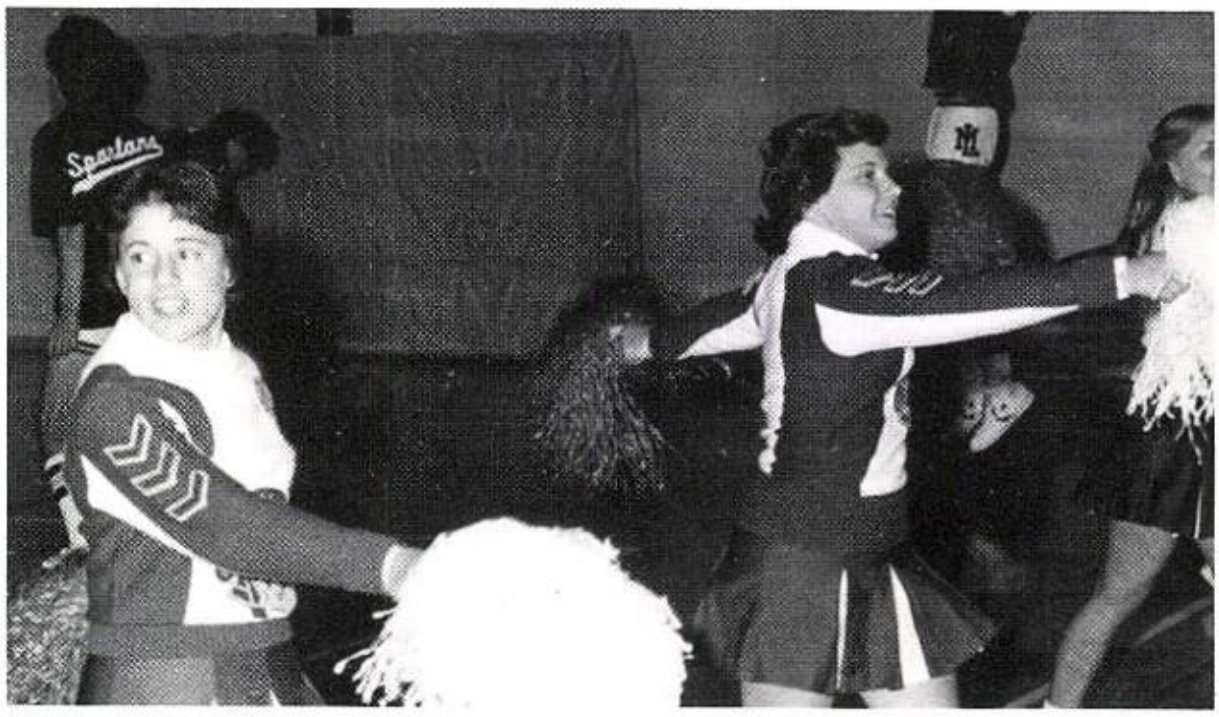
"Me-me and My-my Shadow!"

Our team is Sooooo Big!

The Entertainers

The same old routine? Not when you talk about the Pom Pon Squads. Both the J.V. and Varsity were very inventive this year having come up with some really different routines and costumes. This year there was a change in coaching. Miss Rippe replaced Mrs. Dahl, who left to start a family. Miss Rippe led the girls, by having a lot of practice and hard work. To help Miss Rippe in her new coaching assignment, Captain Jenny Scott and Co-Captain Dawn Schaeffer assisted her in getting familiar with the squad. They did a great job this year and the Spartan fans say THANKS!

Santa's little helpers bring Christman cheer to the Basketball teams.



Put your right foot in, take your left foot out.

Varsity Pom Pons consists of: Left to Right; Chris Gruenewald, Jill Duszynski, Jenny Scott, Jan Barndt, Dawn Schaeffer, Carey Clemes, Sheri Stach, Beth Stach, Carla Oswald, Renee Posavec, Lori Pieske, Julie Meissler.

J.V. Pom Pons squad is as follows: Top Row; Coach-Miss Rippe, Nancy Sheldon, Linda Kaphingst, Kim Harr, Terri Lemke, Traci Franz, Julie Stach. Bottom Row; Kris Bond, Karen Meurer, Mary Cianciolo, Sue Kohler, Diane, Linda Spohn, Julie Harrison.

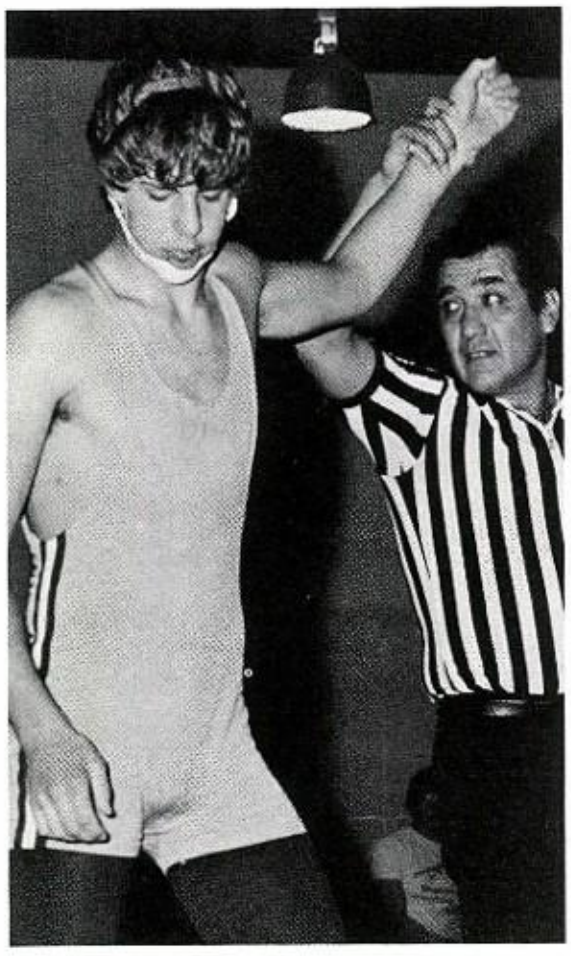
Many new faces and songs were seen and heard at the J.V. Basketball games. The Junior Varsity Pom Pon squad showed pep and enthusiastic energy in the routines they performed during this year's Basketball season. Led by Captain Sue Kohler and Co-Captain Linda Kaphingst, the squad was able to create many enjoyable halftimes. They had a lot of fun and we are looking forward to the up coming year's performances.

Half-Time Treat!

Look Mom, no cavities.

Get up and Boogie?

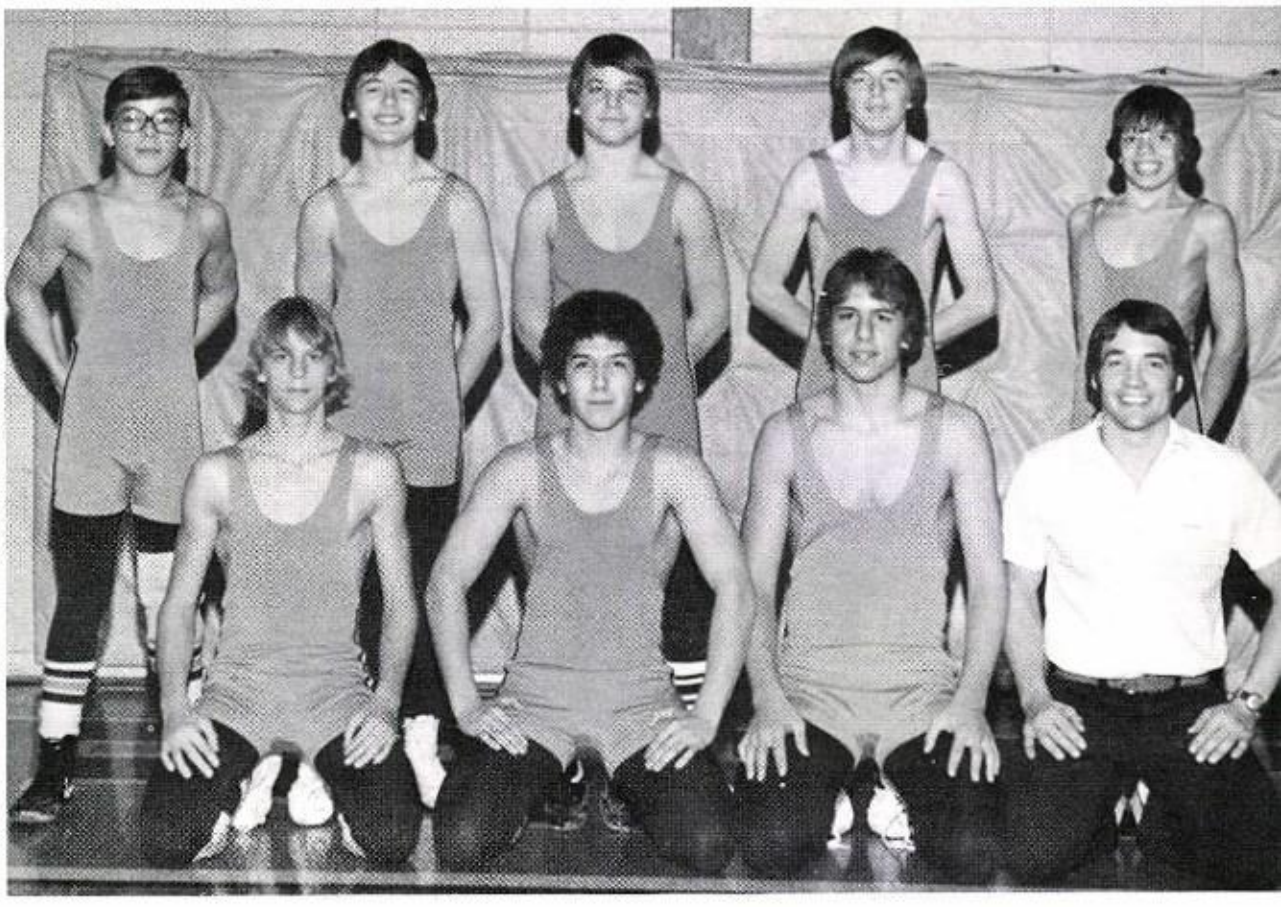
Because of the shortage of wrestlers, winning matches became much more difficult for the J.V. team.

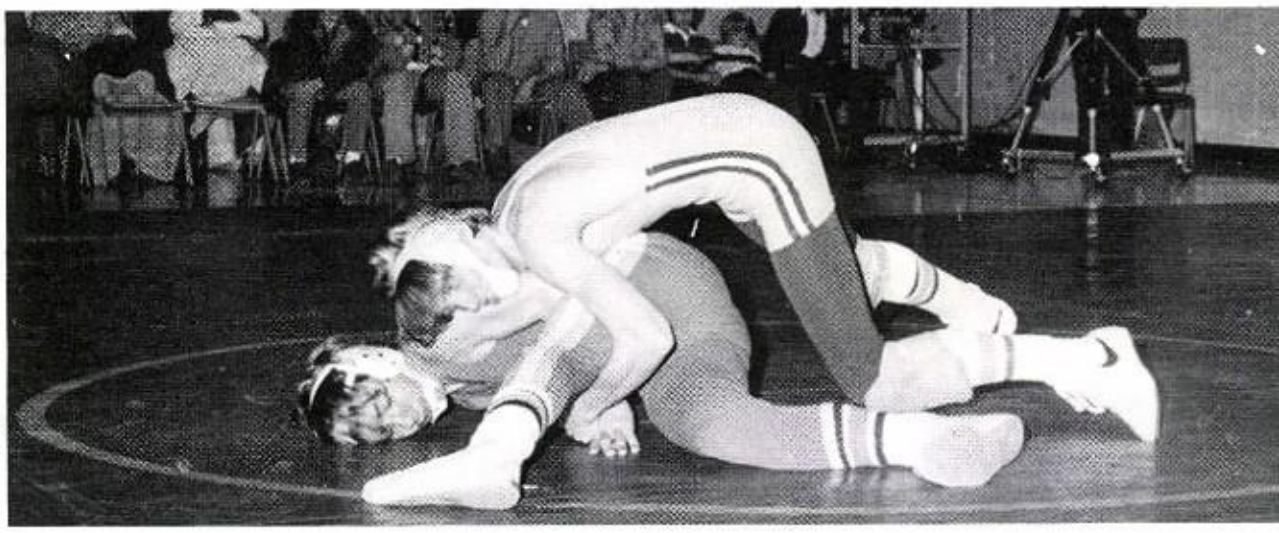


JV Steadily Improving

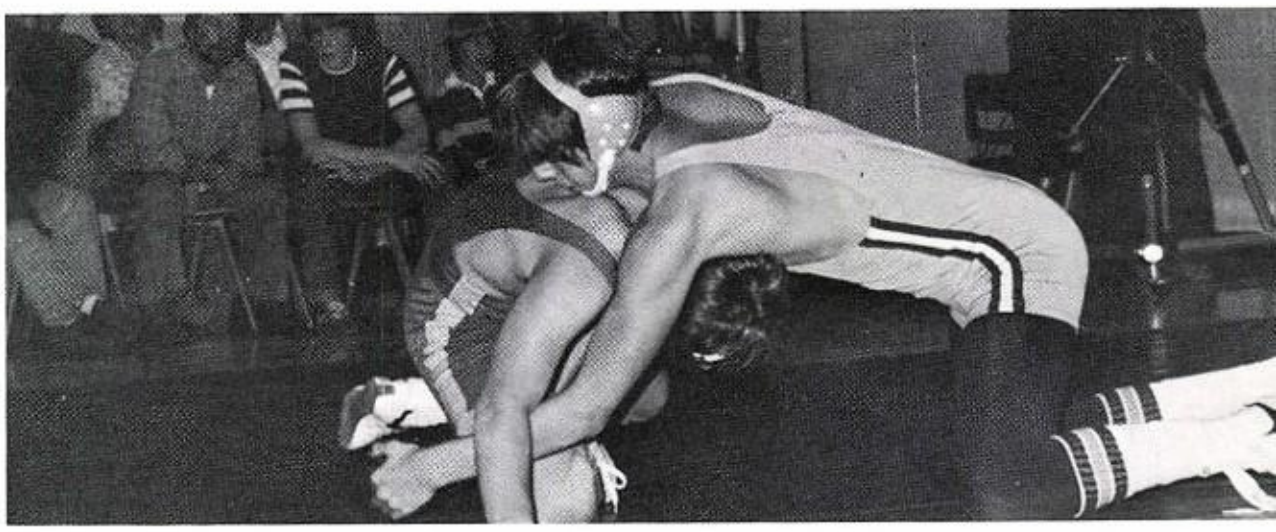
Coach Cattau shared some of his thoughts concerning the J.V. Wrestling team, "J.V. is weak this year because of inexperience and that we don't have enough wrestlers to fill all the weight classes. We hope that the few freshmen we have this year can develop fast enough to help make our team stronger next year. We have not kept a match score in any of our J.V. matches because of the limited number of wrestlers; so we don't have a won-loss record on J.V., unless you want to say we lost them all because of forfeits."

The Martin Luther J.V. Wrestling Team consisted of the following members from left to right: Back Row: Jeff Henk, Brent Neuman, Karl Cleppe, Steve Franklin, and John Penshorn. Front Row: Ted Simpson, Marc Monreal, Dan Luethy, and Coach Cattau.



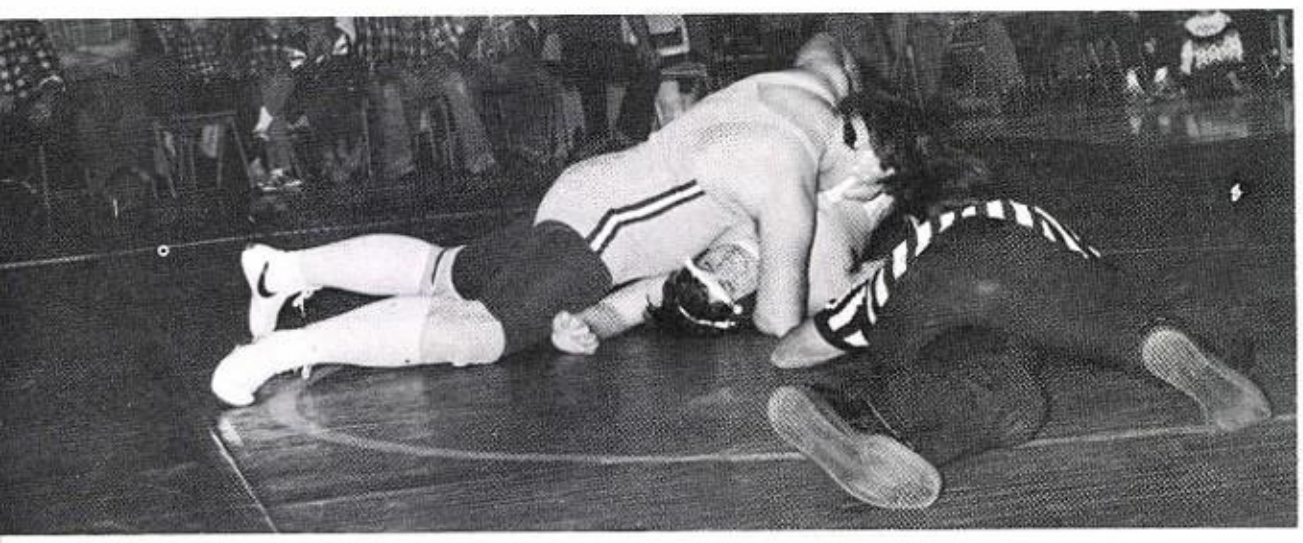


Steve Franklin concentrates on positioning his opponent so that he can pin him for a victory.

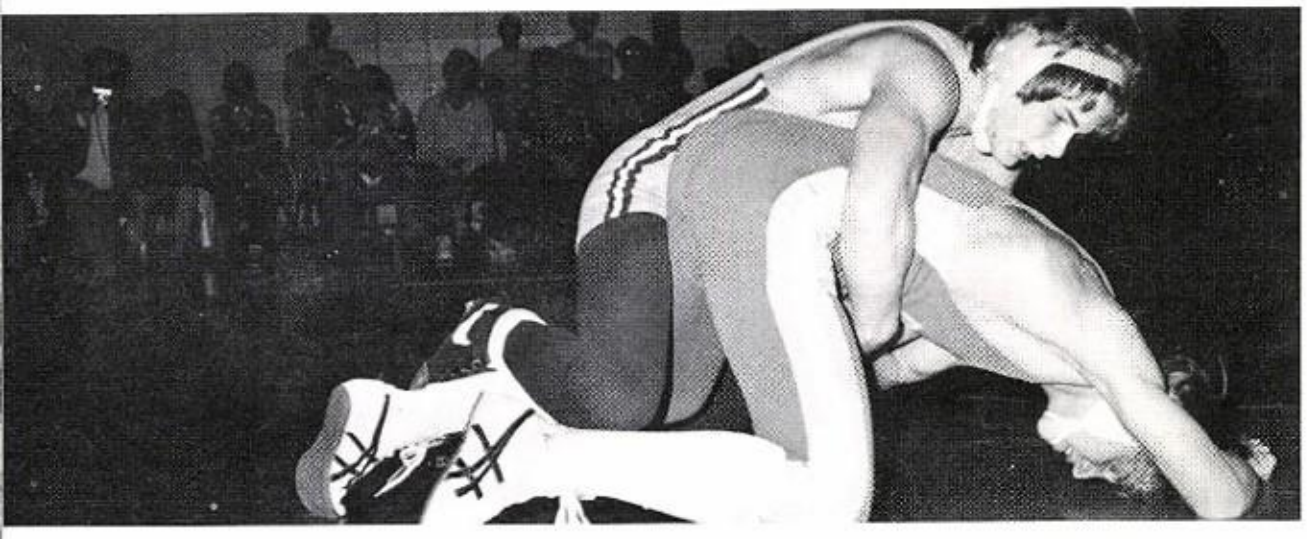


Sophomore Dan Luethy shows good defense as he counters his opponent's stragedy.

Wrestlers Defend Title

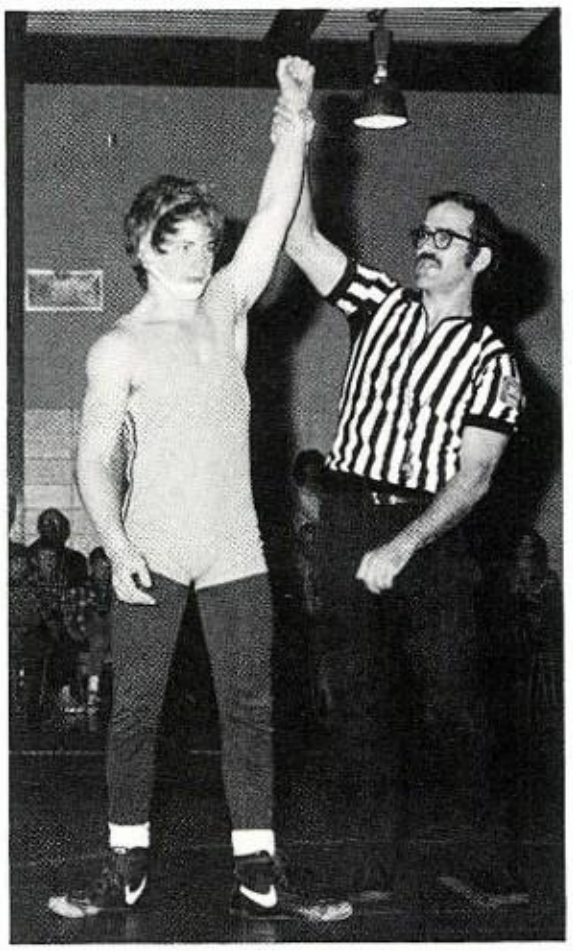


The Wrestling Team attempted to pin down another conference championship but came out unsuccessful.



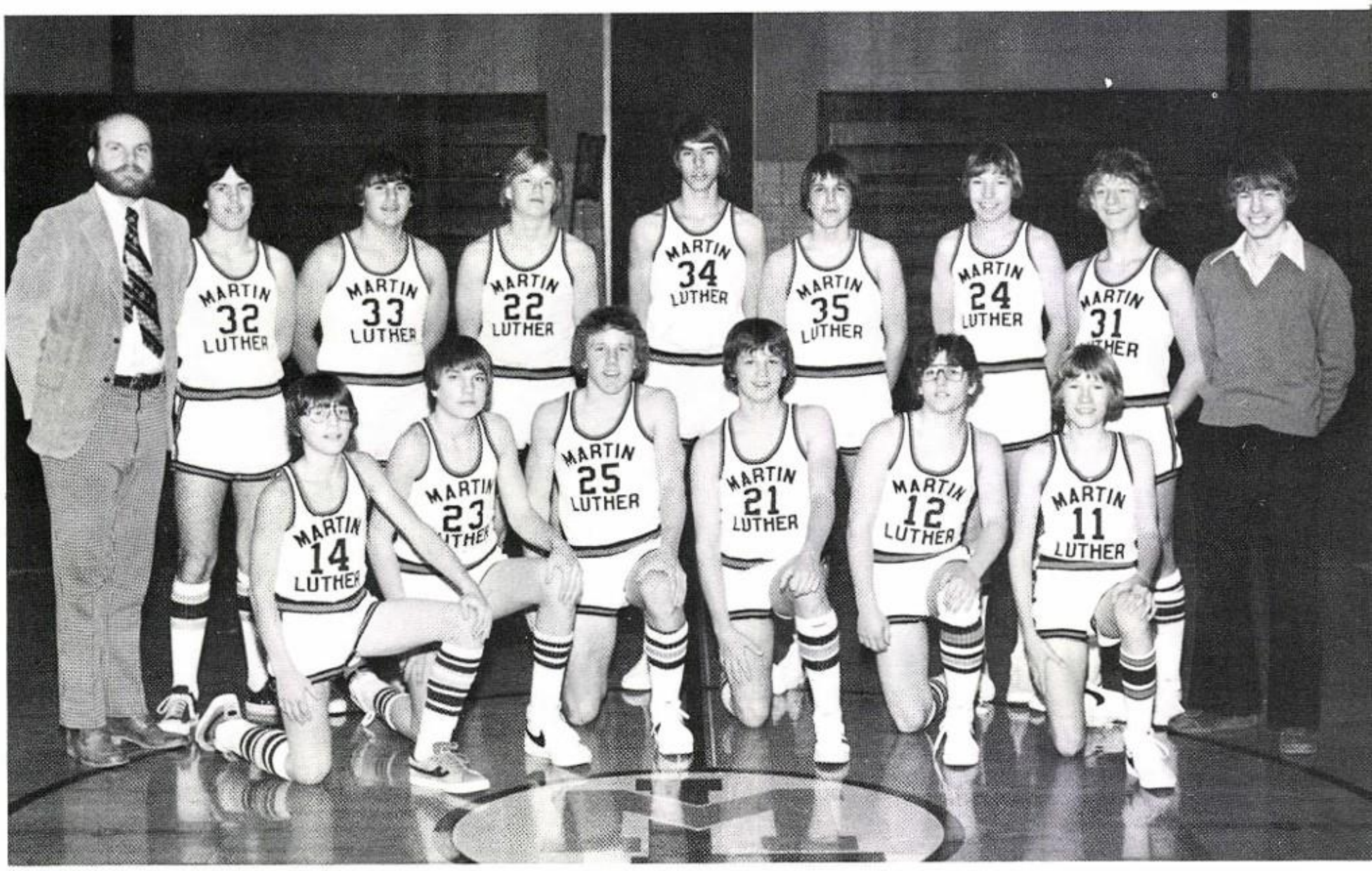
Junior Bob Sanders tries to maneuver his opponent into a desired position where he will be able to pin him.

The Martin Luther Varsity Wrestling Team is as follows from left to right: Back Row: Coach Richter, Dan Luedke, Bob Sanders, Dan LeVan, Frank Cleppe, Tim Moravec, Dave Skorzewski, and Coach Cattau. Front Row: Dave Schuldt, Ron Sell, Bill Dake, Camron Sayer, Jim Lamm, and Mike Buchman.



The raised hand in victory, the result of a lot of hard work and practice.

Senior Frank Cleppe gave some insights on the Varsity Wrestling team, "The 1978-79 Wrestling team had a good year. We had six wrestlers represent us in the finals at the conference tournament. Five of those wrestlers won. They were: Jim Lamm, Dan LeVan, Dan Luedke, Tim Moravec, and team captain Dave Schuldt. The team, overall, took third place. It was a rebuilding year with many inexperienced wrestlers on the team. There were only two seniors on the team, Dave Schuldt and myself. Coaches Richter and Cattau also did a fine job of getting the team ready for the conference tournament."



The Freshman Team is as follows: Bottom Row: Don Krubsack, Mark Henschel, Todd Hernke, Randy Godspell, Joel Bahr, Bob Jackland. Second Row: Coach Mangels, John Graham, Kenton Kais, Todd Johnson, Bob Hansen, Doug Beese, Ron Kramer, Forest Hartwig, David Green, manager. Not shown: Andrew Hafeman.

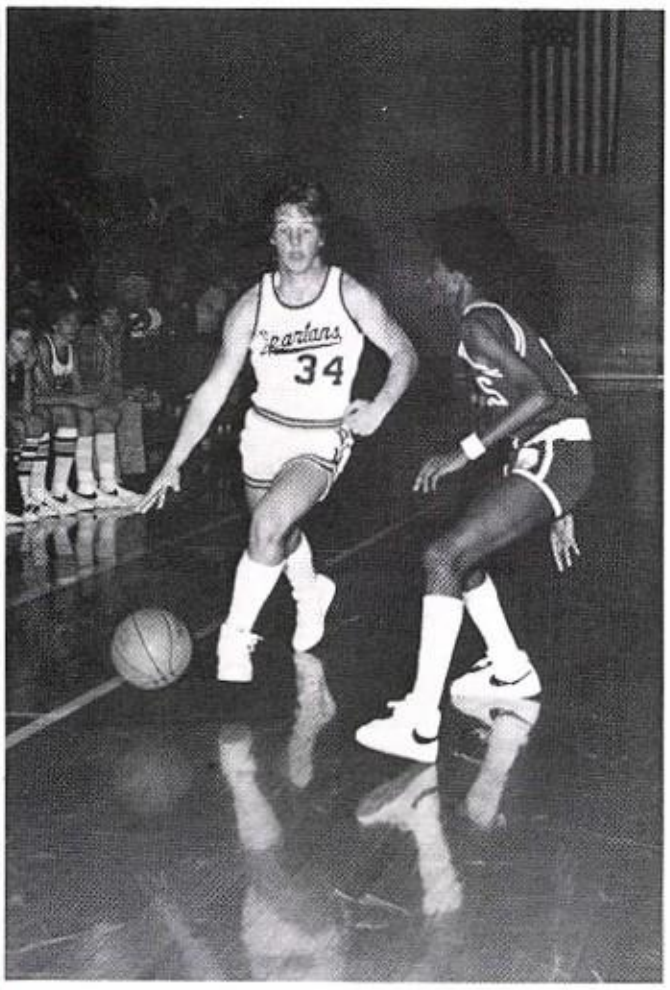
Freshmen Basketball Follies!

"The Freshman basketball team didn't do as well as expected in the '78-'79 Basketball season. With individual efforts by Bob Hanson and Doug Beese on the boards, and Todd Johnson and Todd Hernke on the shooting, the team hung in there in most of the games. Coach Mangels used the bench alot during the games getting help from Forrest Hartwig and Kent Kais. Although the teams overall record showed more losses than wins, we lost some close games, and they kept their composure to do better in the next game. With such teams as Dominican and St. Mary's on the schedule, it was tough to maintain a good record."

Andrew Hafeman

Don Krubsack attempts a block.

The J.V. Team consists of: Bottom Row: Pete Halstead, Brian Chladek, Middle Row: Jim Kent, R.G. Luckow, Tim Koehn, Rick Albrecht, Bill Gross, Top Row: Tom Knoll, manager, Tim Boehn, Paul Popa, Curt Buetow, Coach Steve Schneider.



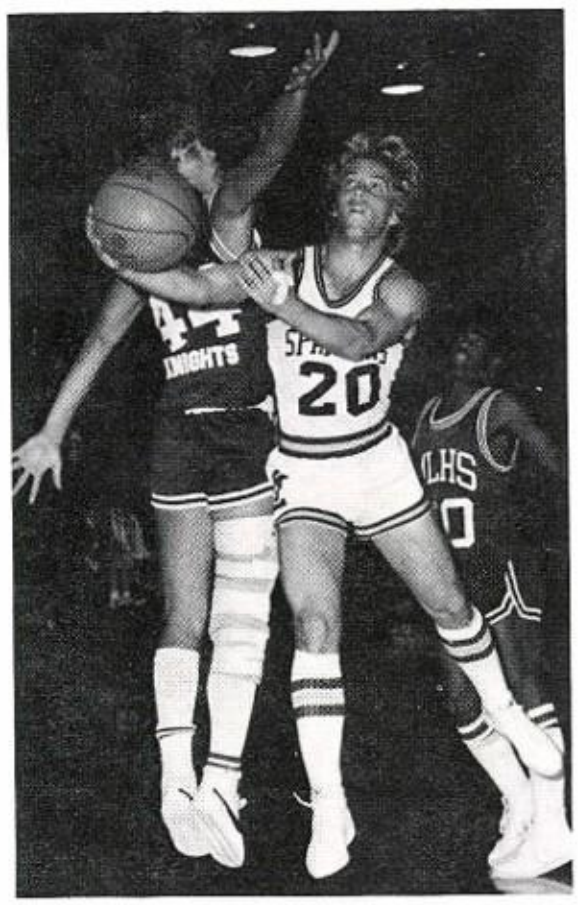
R.G. Luckow brings the ball down court.

"The Martin Luther Junior Varsity team had a successful year through the leading of Brian Chladek, Paul Popa, Tim Koehn on offense. The boards were pulled down on both ends by Paul Popa and Jim Kent. And with R.G. Luckow and Brian Chladek on defense. The whole team, through hours of practicing, working on the individual skills, in order to do better as a team. The team had a lot of close games that didn't end in our favor. This made us realize that we had to work much harder to win."

R.G. Luckow

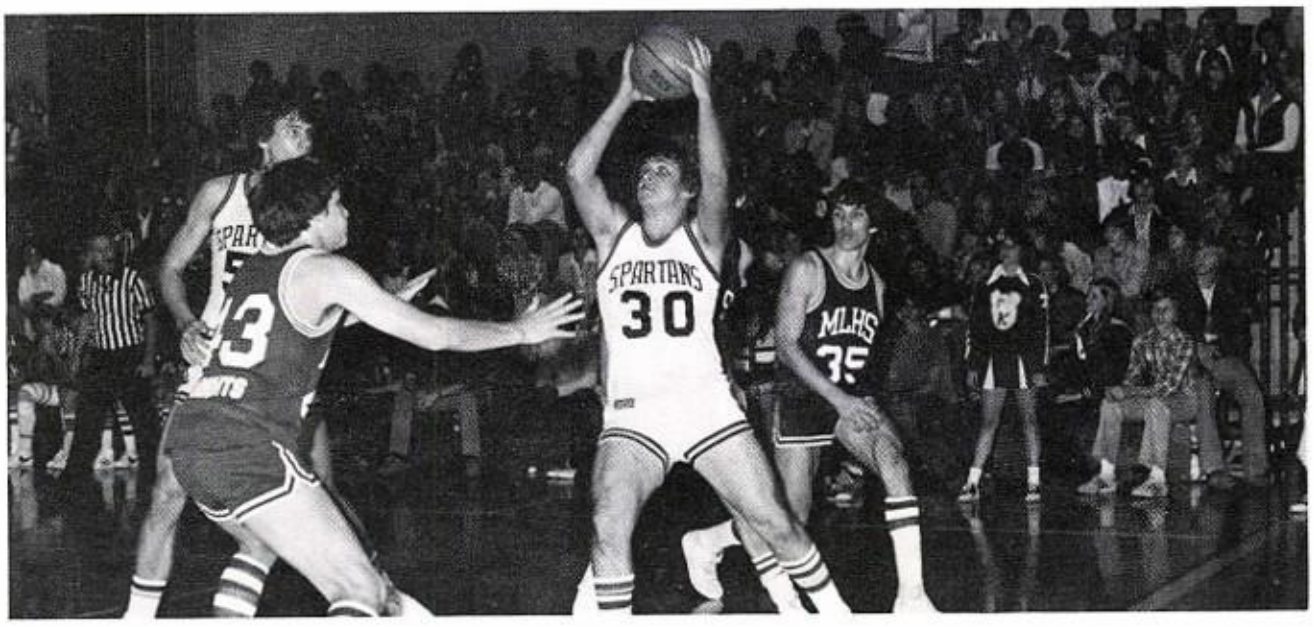
J.V. Finds The Key

Spartans Shoot For Championship Season

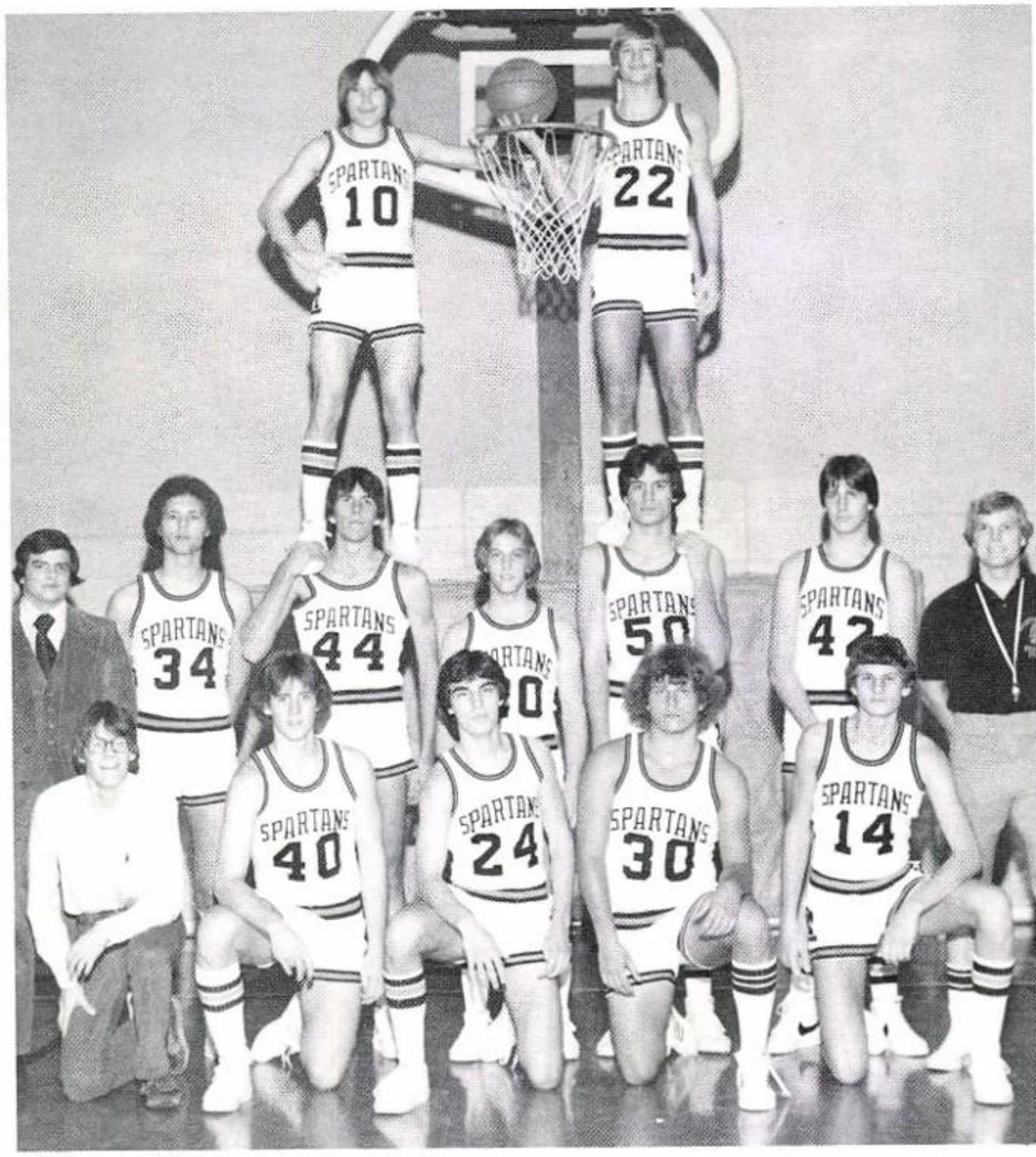


Jim Povlick deceives his opponent and then attempts to make a layup.

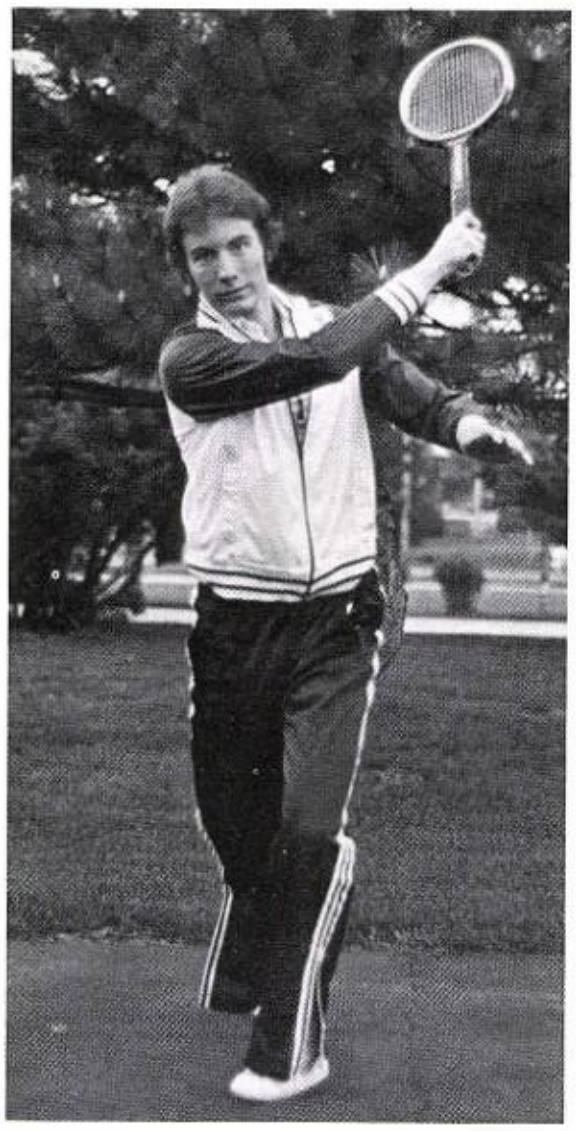
Don Leifer had this to say concerning the Basketball team shortly after their loss at St. Mary's, "The 1978-79 Martin Luther Basketall team has thus far experienced a relatively successful season which climaxed with a victory over Delafield St. John's. The Spartans have been hurt by the loss of Don Smith to ineligiblity and Al Hafeman due to injuries. Dave Luethy leads the team in scoring and rebounding, while all the other starters have all contributed their share of good games. The Spartans have a chance to tie for first in the Midwest Prep conference, plus a chance for a good showing in the WISAA tournament at the end of February."



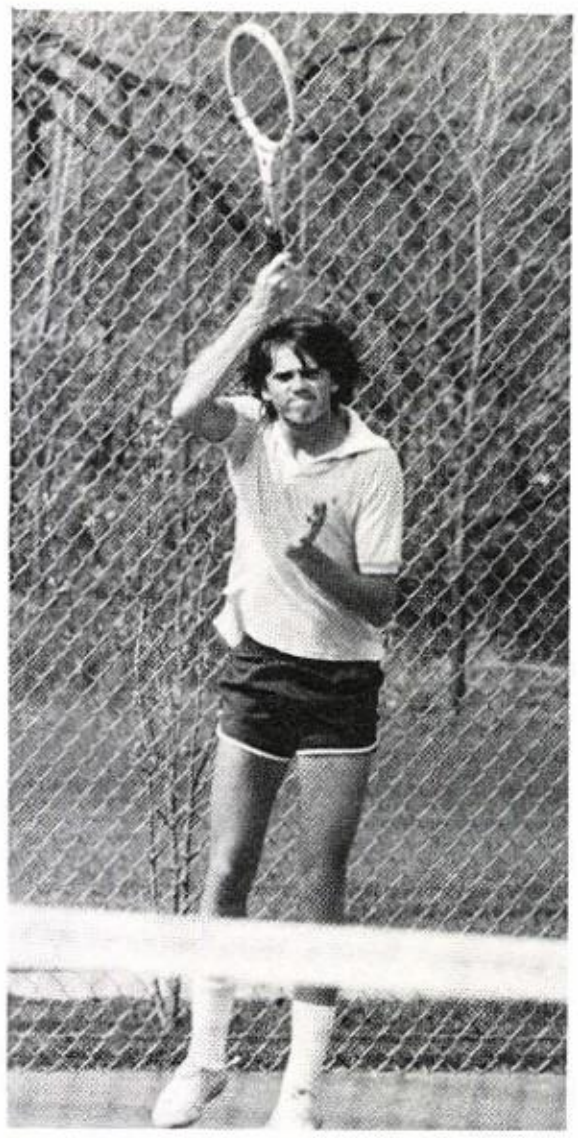
Juniors such as Jeff Lemke will form a strong and formidable lineup for next year's Basketball team.



The Spartan Varsity Basketball team had the following players from left to right: On Top: Don Smith and John Brunette. Back Row: Trainer Rick Barwa, Dave Bliese, Brad Bluhm, Jim Povlick, Dave Luethy, Don Leifer, and Coach Koepke. Front Row: Manager Kurt Schmeiser, Greg Bartrom, Steve Longstaff, Jeff Lemke, and Jim Marquardt.



Tom Cutting lettered again as he played brilliantly.

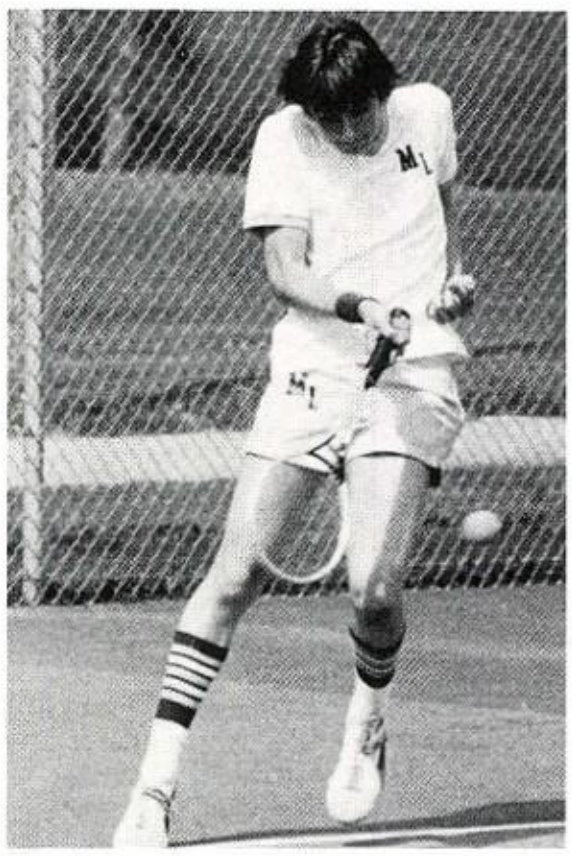


Bill Sodemann had an outstanding season and will return next year to lead the team.

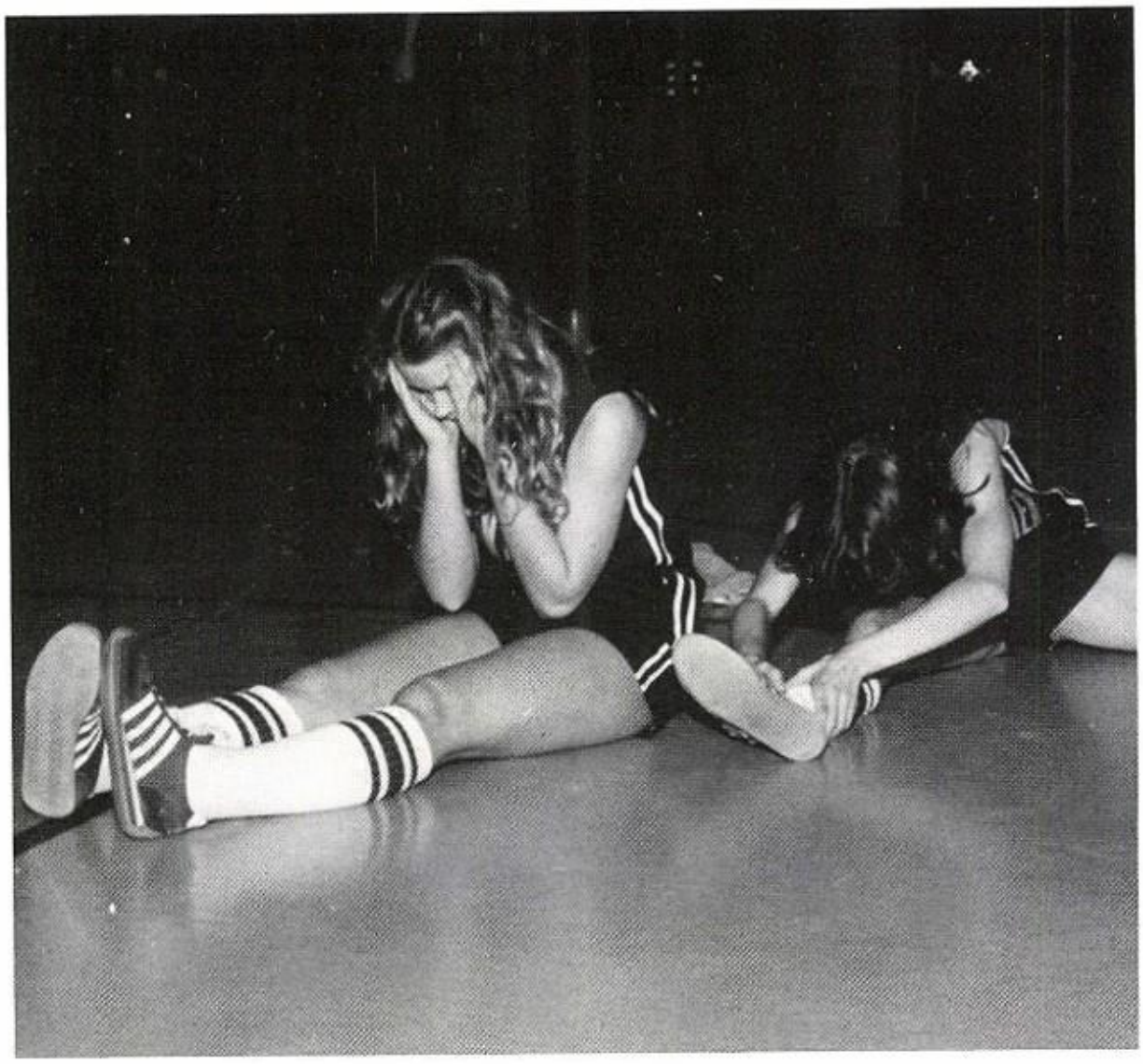
Tennis Team Not Lacking In Talent

A member of the tennis team refelcted on the teams's performance. "In their fourth year of competition, the M.L. tennis team had their finest season ever. Though confronted by cold weather and a lack of permanent tennis courts, Coach Koepke did an excellent job in leading the team to a winning 6-4 conference record. The team placed third in conference with Gregg Bartrom and Bill Sodemann taking second at first doubles. The regional meet at Racine also marked a new high fro the tennis team. The same doubles team placed third while singles players Tom Cutting and Curt Roeglin also advanced beyond the first round. The team will suffer the loss of Tom Cutting at first singles, and Brad Bluhm and Mark Harr at doubles. This year's lettermen were Seniors: Brad Bluhm, Tom Cutting, and Mark Harr. Juniors: Gregg Bartrom, Curt Roeglin, and Bill Sodemann. Sophomores: Tim Koehn and John Schreib; and Freshman Joel Bahr."

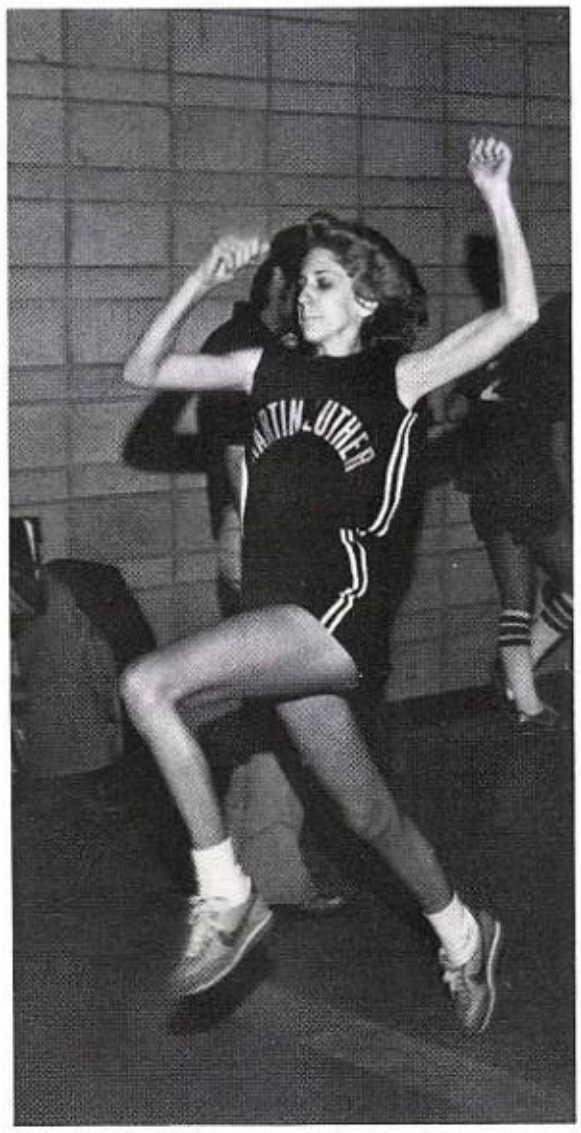
The 1979 M.L. Tennis Team is as follows: (Left to Right) Top Row: Jim Baumgart, Mark Harr, Tom Cutting, Gregg Bartrom, Brad Bluhm. Middle Row: Bill Sodemann, Tim Koehn, Bill Gross, John Hartel. Bottom Row: Coach Al Koepke, John Schreib, Curt Roeglin, Joel Bahr.



Senior Mark Harr lettered and performed well along with his doubles partner Brad Bluhm.



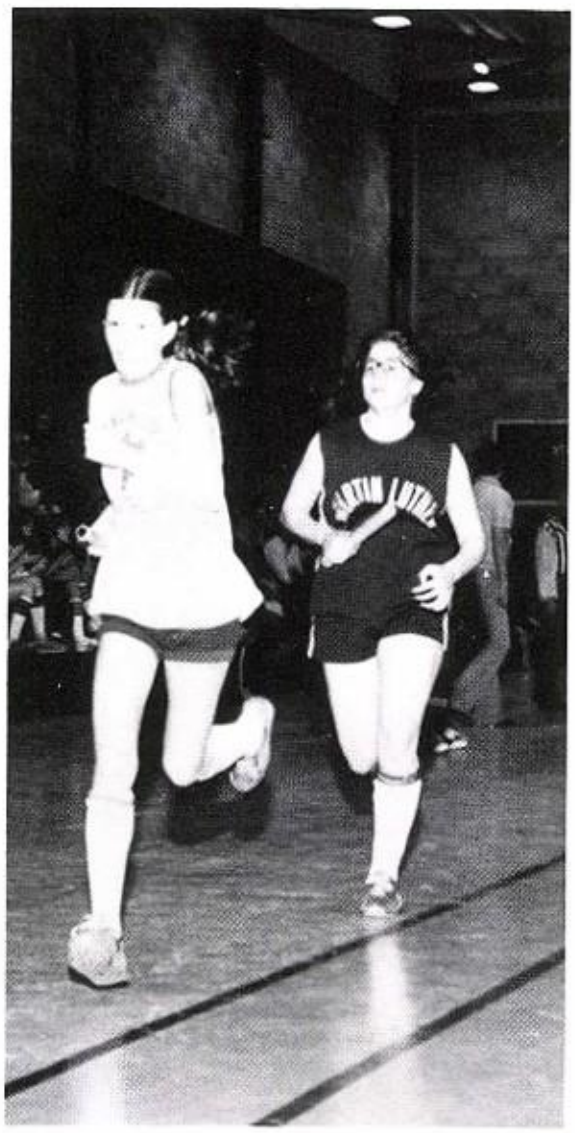
''I didn't think that I could run that fast.''



''I knew I could do it.''

''Let's all do the Flopsbury Flop.''

The Track team is as follows: Top row; Sandy Kopitske, Terri Viola, Cheryl Oswald, Sue Jagusch, Rosaline Winters, Robyn Buchwald, Julie Stach. Second row; Kay Prueser, Sheri Bohlman, Debbie Cieslak, Coleen Hayes, Lorraine Bruening, Sue Gawlitta, Jessica Hidebrand, Sue Missin. Bottom row; Julie Meier, Dawn Eccleston, Kathy Otto, Lisa Shilling, Diana Brunner, Cathy Clemmens, Carol Buncich, Linda Graf, Judy Nelson, Shari Stach, Donale Kramer; Coaches; Miss Carey, Mrs. Menzel.



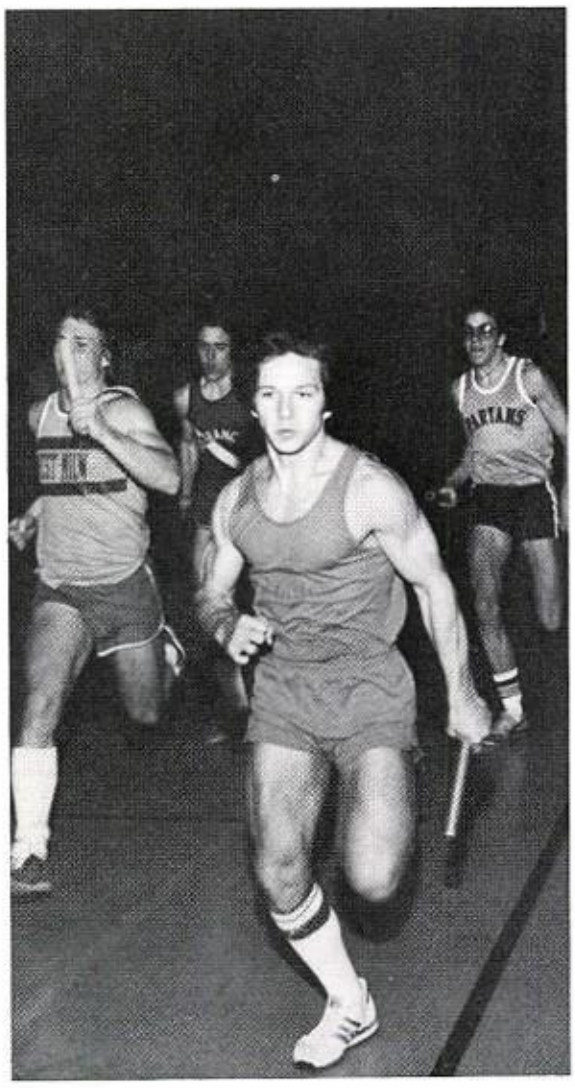
"If you would slow down, I could catch up."

Fleet Feet Win Meet!

"Track is a team sport of hard work and dedication. The practice is rough and the hours are long, but the rewards are worth it. Track is unique; it is a team sport, yet, everyone is doing his best for himself. Track gives you a feeling of accomplishment. You've run the mile, jumped the high jump or thrown the disc to the best of your ability and you feel good when you've placed or at least beat your own record. The team was great this year. We've all come to know each other a little better. We can respect and understand one another. We had a good year and we've made new friends.

Jessica Hildebrand

The Track Team started the season with an abundance of talent and determination.

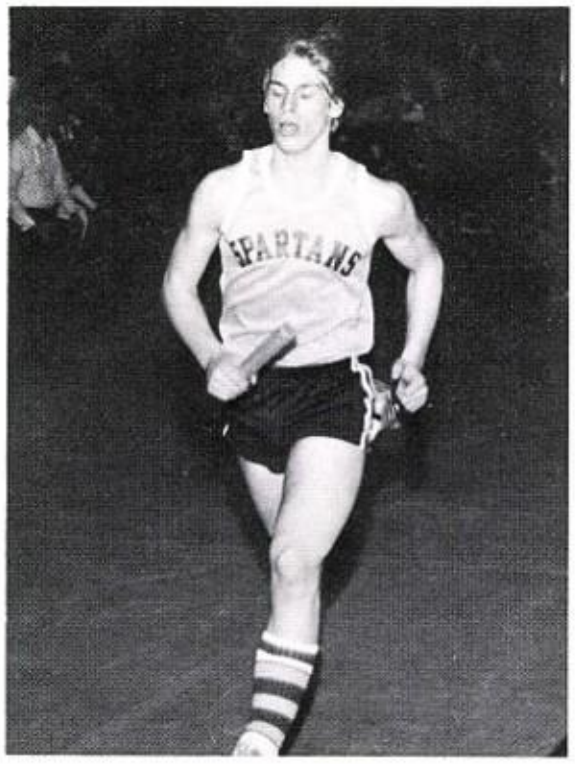


The Spartan Team had to face tough opposition and winning was no easy thing.

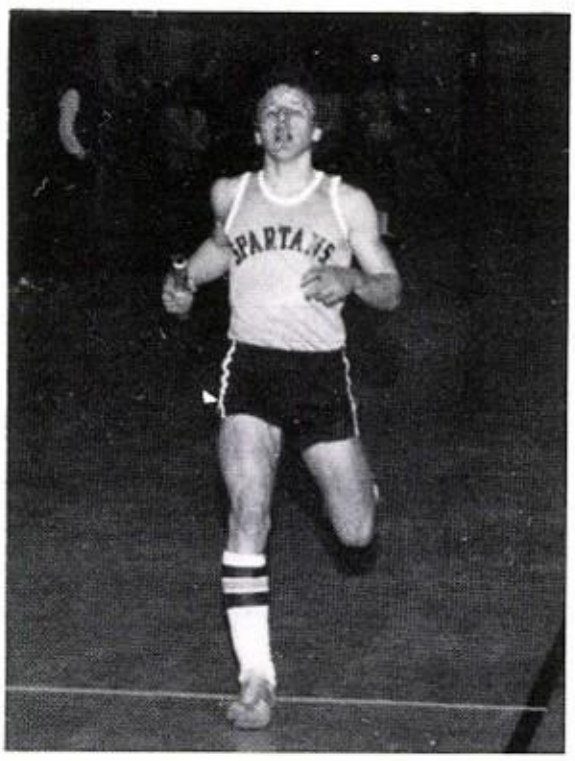
The Spartans, however, were able to come up with a successful and impressive season.

Track Team Consists Of Future Olympians

The 1979 track team consisted of the following members: (from left to right) Back Row: Coach P. Herzog, P. Brant, D. Schroeder, R. Kramer, B. Bartel, J. Doepke, A. Krieg. 1 Row From Back: T. Moravec, B. Gapinski, P. Heise, F. Cleppe, J. Benka, J. Drobka, S. Ibe, D. Green, J. Pelinska, C. Buetow. 1 Row From Bottom: S. Longstaff, B. Wellman, K. Hingiss, P. Berres, D. Bliese, J. Povlick, B. Akers, M. Watson, S. Sowles, R. Block. Bottom Row: R. Albright, D. Kanitz, S. Bond, J. Graham, R. G. Luchow, T. Hernke, B. Barchus, T. Boehm. Not pictured are: Coach J. Reigles, Manager T. Heise, D. Beese, D. Luethy, and M. Troeger.



The Spartans were able to successfully compete through hard-work and endurance.

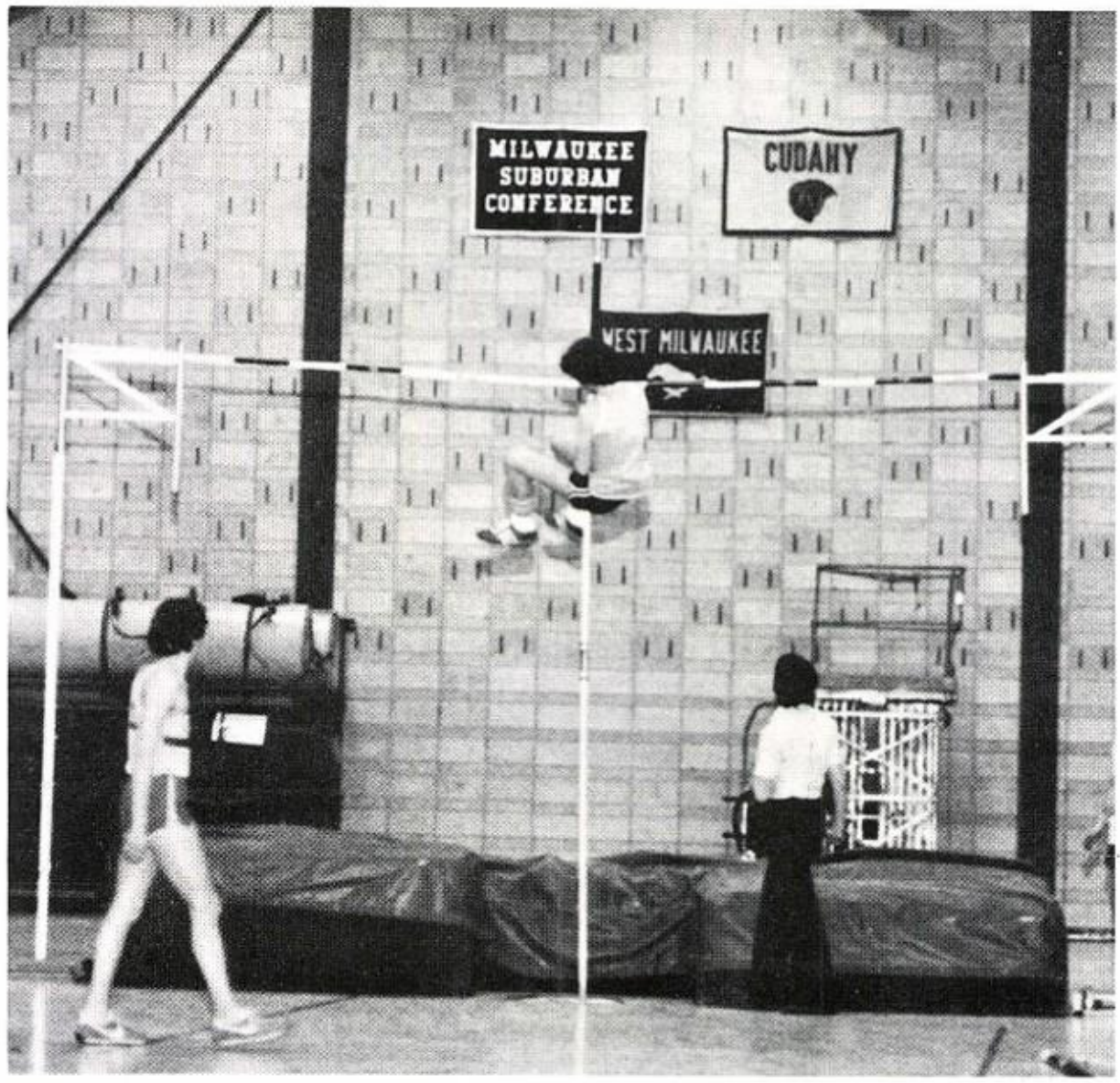


The hardwork pays off when you cross the finish line first.

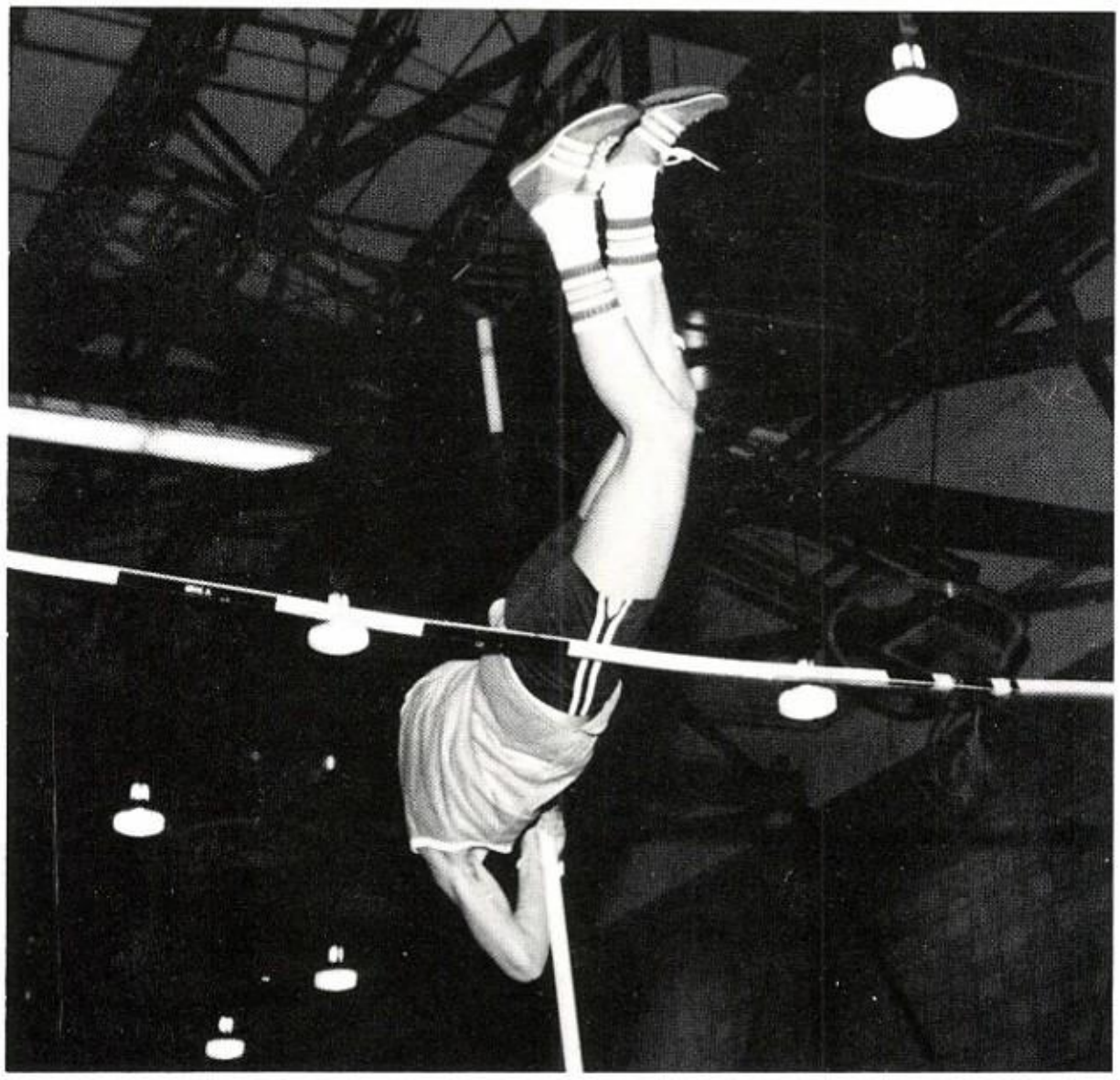
Track member Dave Bliese summed up the team's season with the following comments:

"This year's Track team had a good season with the young, but experienced, team bettering their performance in both the Conference meets. The team finished in a tie for third in the Conference and alone in third in the Conference meet. Another good meet for the team was a strong second place finish in the All-Lutheran Invitational held at Milwaukee Lutheran.

The team is still young; consisting mainly of juniors and sophomores, but many of the team have two or or three years of experience. The future years look good for track at M.L."



Pole vaulting requires a combination of: skill, balance, coordination, and confidence.

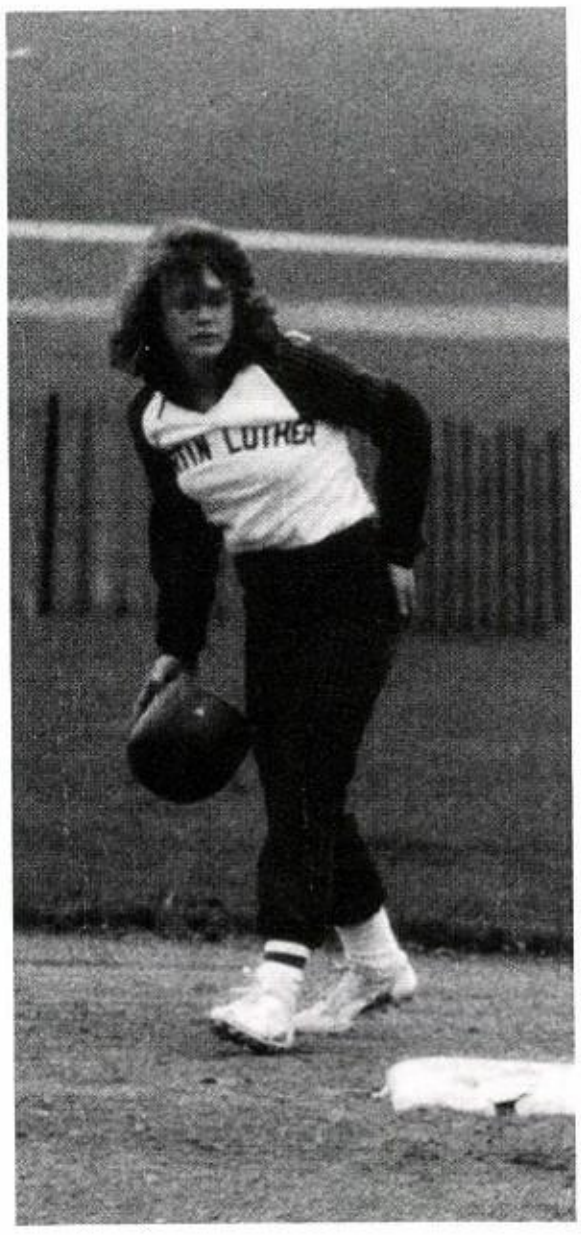


Junior Jim Drobka, one of the many stars on the Track Team, set a new school record as he vaulted to a height of ten and a half feet.

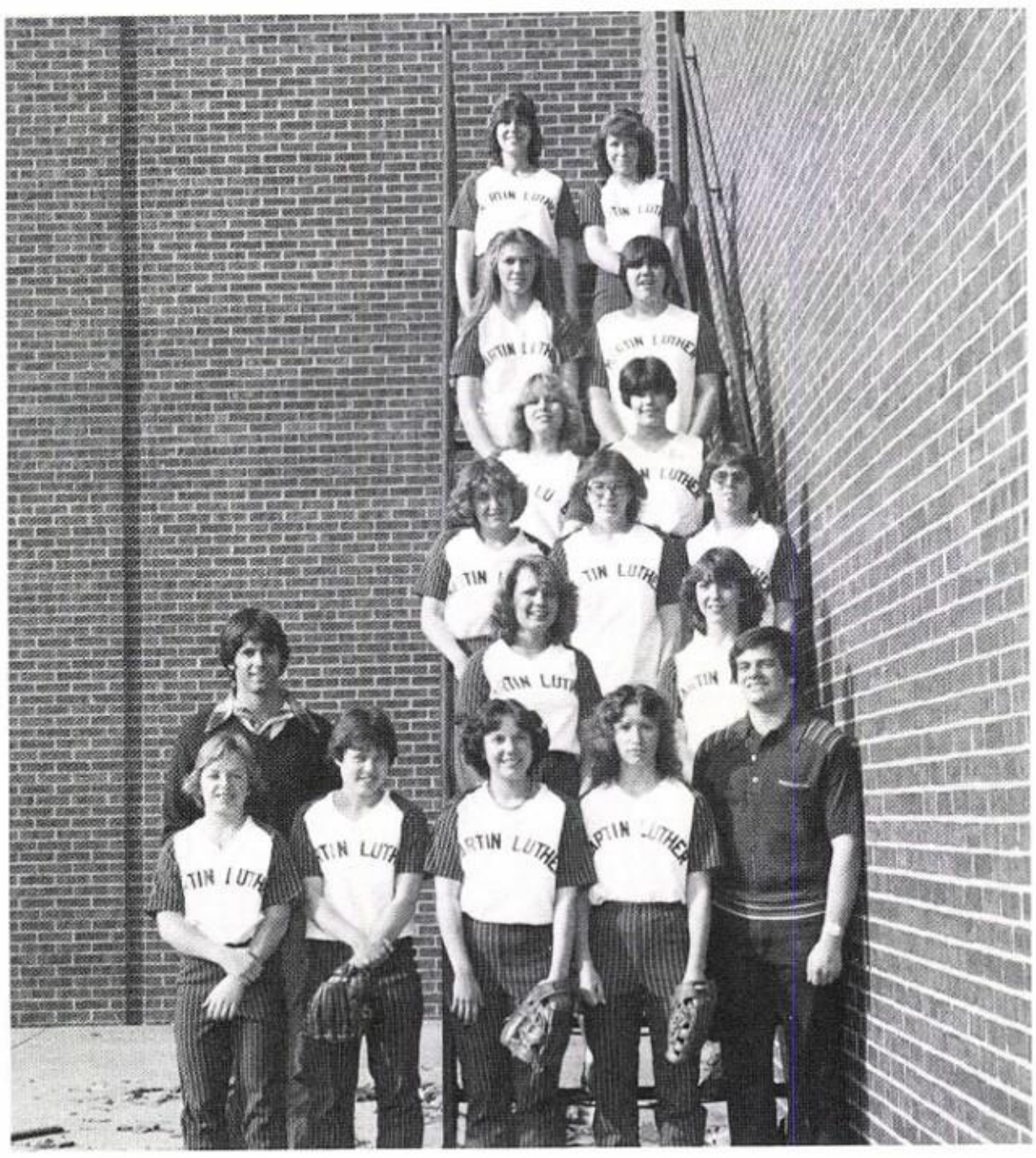
Take Me Out To The Ball Park

The Varsity Softball Team had fun this season and all (including the coach) learned a lot more than they knew at the beginning. Spirit was shown mainly by the attitude of the players. Everyone was always giving support to each other and tried to help out in one way or another. As the season wore on, all the players became better friends and really learned to get along with one another.

"Do ya wanna go to McDonalds?"



I am stuck on Band-Aids

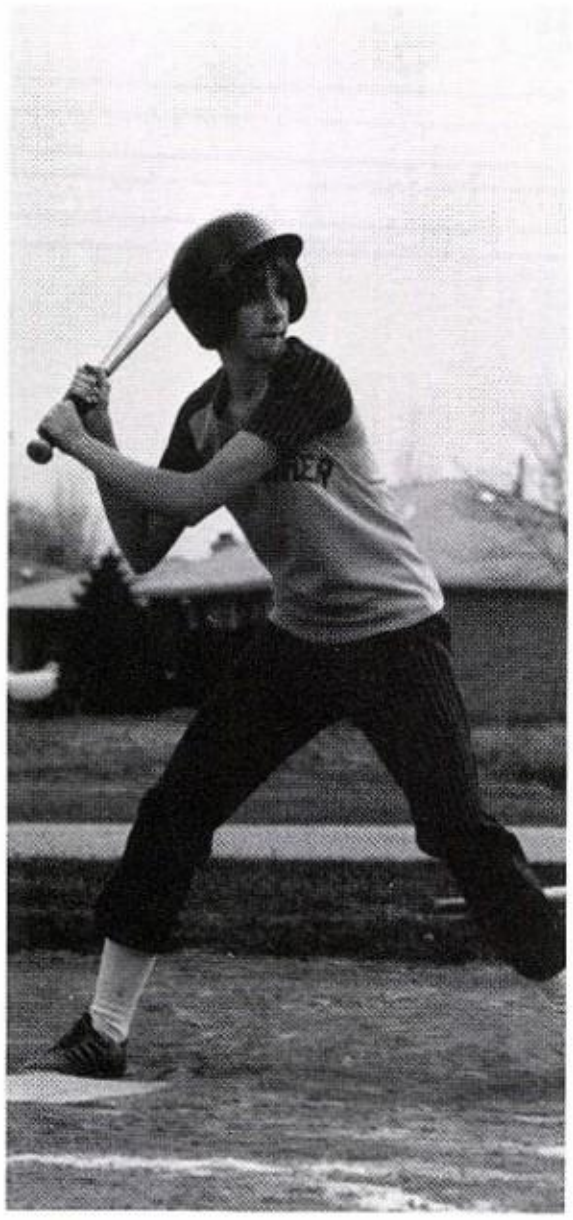


The Varsity Softball Team is as follows: Top to Bottom: Vicki Blazer, Juli Sierszyn, Beth Bruening, Pat Sorcic, Cheryl Stecker, Carla Oswald, Michelle Meyers, Kelly Salo, Laura Nelson, Janice Otto, Sherri LaBodda, Steve Schneider (coach), Linda Lamm, Pat Davey, Beth Stach, Linda Johnson, Rick Barwa

''We got to stop meeting this way''

When Miss Rippe was asked about her year as the J.V. softball coach, she said it was a building year for the team. She did recognize the good playing of Beth Drews and Traci Franz. They did win against St. Mary's, and came close in other games. The team was full of spirit, and didn't let a few mistakes drag them down. ''But just think of the great team we will have next year.'' claimed Miss Rippe.

Swing, Slide And Safe!

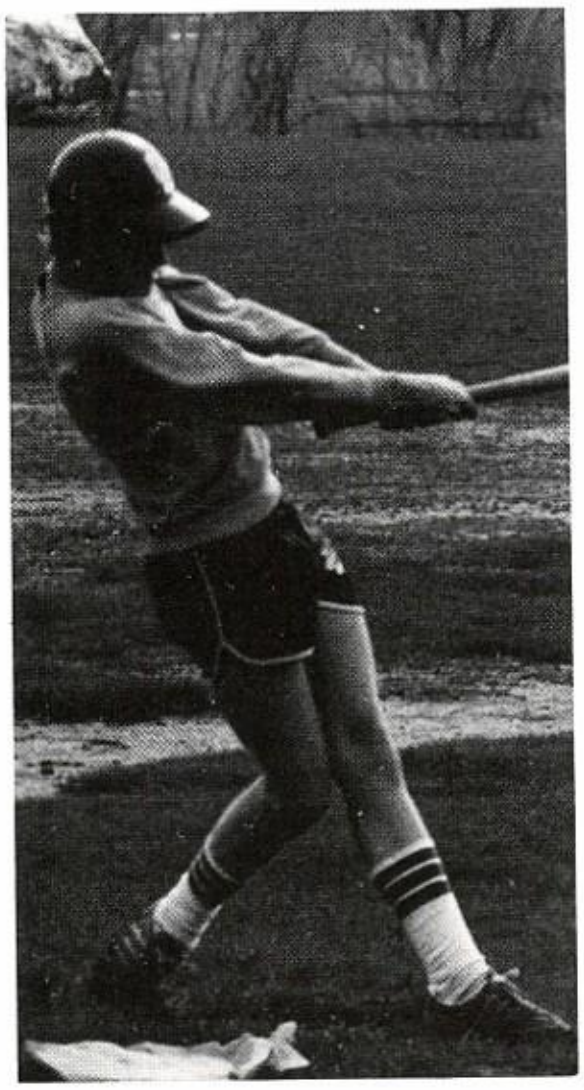


Take two, hit to left

J.V. Softball team is as follows: standing, Miss Rippe, Mary Schneider, Robin Phinney, Jennifer Kowalski, Bonnie Schoessow, Jodi Kozlowski, Beth Drews. kneeling: Becky Koeller, Misty Esplund, Pam Stelse, Nancy Grunewald, Dawn Knoblach, sitting: Diane Grunewald, Tracii Franz, Kitty Drobka.

The players for the 1979 J.V. Baseball Team were: (from left to right) Top Row: Manager Brian Dethlaff, Randy Godsell, Randy Jackland, C. J. Thone, and Coach Schnake. Middle Row: Andrew Hafeman, John Reinholz, Kenton Kais, Randy Lederhaus, and Todd Johnson. Bottom Row: John Toth, Jeff Schmidt, Tom Knoll, Todd Tunks, Todd Schultz, and Marc Monreal.

Although the weather hindered the team's outdoor practices, they yet had some fine fielding.



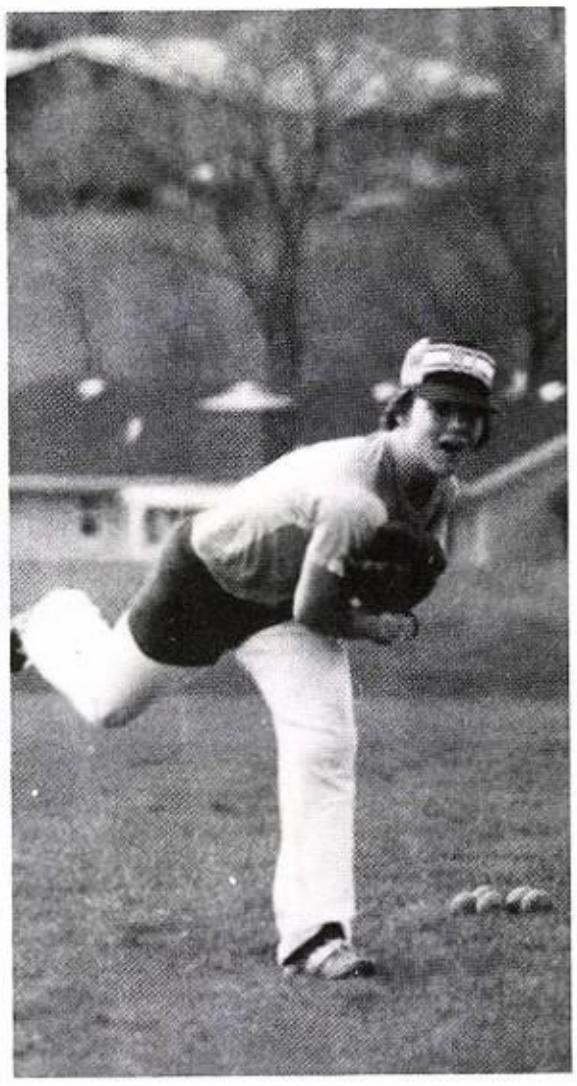
With a powerful hitting attack and a strong pitching corps, the school should have a formidible baseball team in the next years.

JV Points Towards Future Strength

Freshman Kenton Kais described his first season playing on the J.V. Baseball Team:

"The J.V. season started out with nine rainouts, and the players wondered if they would ever get a game in. We finally got a game in and played our first game against Racine Lutheran. The first game was highlighted by a no-hitter thrown by sophomore Jeff Schmidt.

The team had good leadership from the sophomores and, overall, was a good solid hitting and fielding team."



Pitcher Jeff Schmidt was quite impressive and was promoted to the Varsity team.

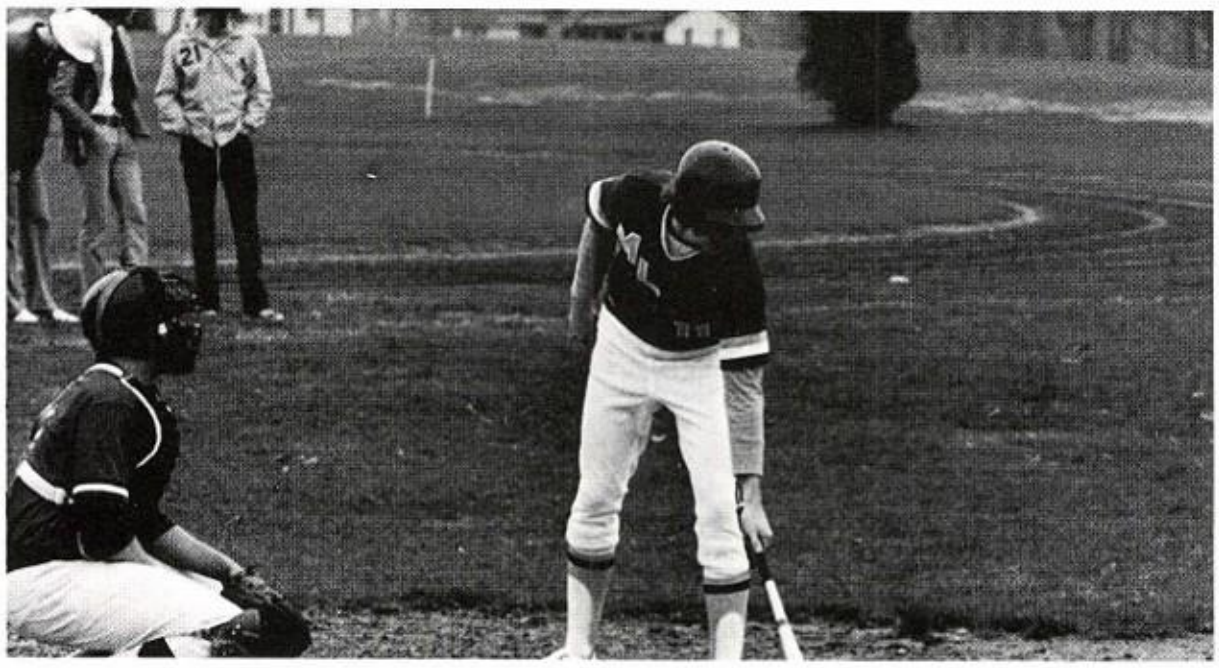
Rain Dampens Baseball Season

Kevin Kais, pitcher for the Varsity team, gave his opinion of this year's season:

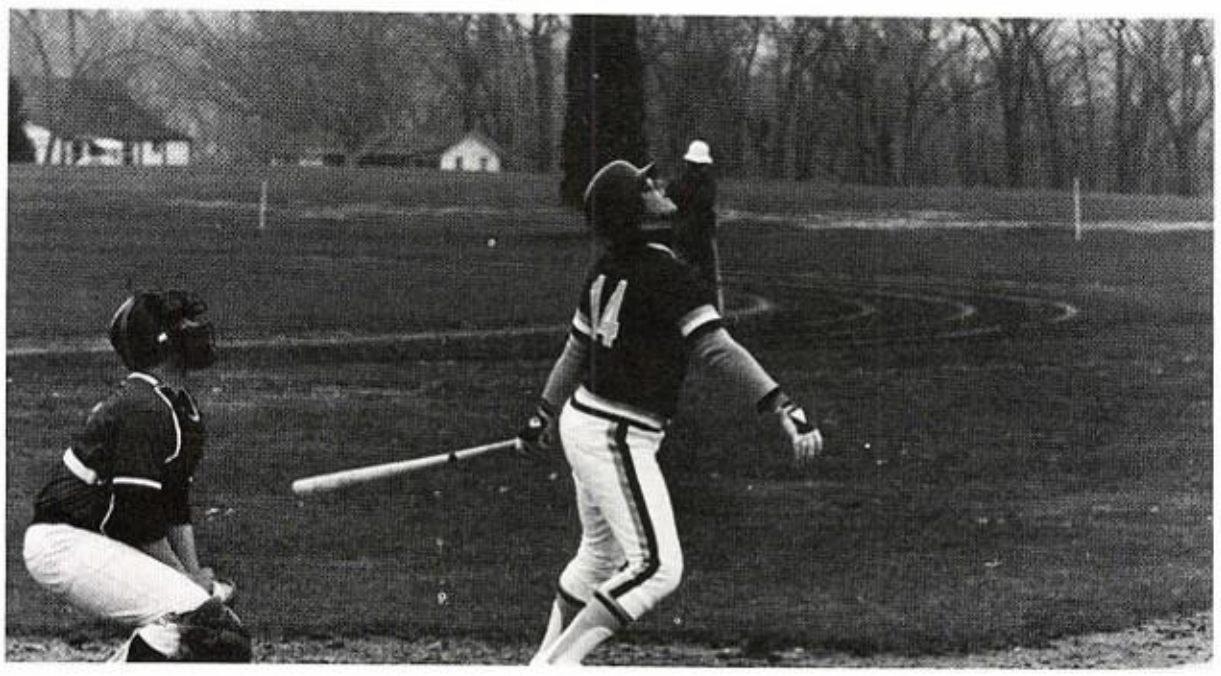
"We had a very frustrating year in more ways than one. Most of the players have been practicing since March and some since January; only to see our first ten games in April rained out. We did have some high points when we hit six homeruns in the first two games. Overall, it should be a better year next year with eight lettermen returning."

The team had some powerful bats in their lineup; including Dean Weil shown on the right.

The team had good pitching. Even in the games that were lost, the pitching was able to keep the score close.



The team began the season with most of its regular games being rained out, but were yet able to play effectively.



The 1979 Varsity Baseball Team is as follows: (from left to right) Back Row: Coach Berlinski, Mike Vallesky, Kevin Kais, Daryl Kohlmeyer, John Gehlhaart, Jeff Lemke, Dean Weil, Jim Kent, and Coach Faszholz. Front Row: Jerry Kost, Jeff Otter, John Brunette, Jeff Chladek, Fete Halstead, and Ken Kieweg.

Varsity Football

SEPTEMBER	ML
1 vs. Dominican	8- 0
9 vs. Wis. Lutheran	14-18
16 vs. University	14-18
22 vs. Wayland	28- 6
30 vs. South Beloit	28- 7
OCTOBER	
7 vs. Northwestern	30- 7
14 vs. St. John's	10-13
21 vs. Rac. Lutheran	16- 0
28 vs. St. Mary's	0-28

JV Football

SEPTEMBER	
8 vs. Marquette	8-26
15 vs. University	W-forfeit
25 vs. Wayland	34- 0
30 vs. JFK	W-forfeit
OCTOBER	
6 vs. Northwestern	6-34
13 vs. St. John's	6-20
20 vs. Rac. Luteran	24- 6
27 vs. St. Mary's	14- 8

Golf

SEPTEMBER	PTS
7 Prarie School	180
Martin Luther	173
14 CONFERENCE AT WAYLAND	
ML 3rd place	193
19 Martin Luther	184
Muskego	175
28 CONFERENCE AT ST. MARY'S	
ML 3rd place	184
29 Regionals	
ML 5th place (18 holes)	361
OCTOBER	
2 Prarie School	208
Martin Luther	183
3 Muskego	184
Martin Luther	176
4 CONFERENCE AT MARTIN LUTHER	
ML 1st place	170
12 CONFERENCE AT NW PREP	
ML 3rd place	185
18 CONFERENCE AT ST. JOHN'S	
ML 3rd place	178

Cross Country

SEPTEMBER	PTS
6 Milwaukee Lutheran	31
Martin Luther	24
8 WEST ALLIS INVITATIONAL	
ML 10th place	259
13 Northwestern Prep	53
Martin Luther	38
University	30
20 FRANKLIN INVITATIONAL	
ML 7th place	219
23 ST. CATHERINE'S INVITATIONAL	
ML 12th place	306
27 Wayland	107
St. Mary's	96
Martin Luther	54
University	27
Milwaukee Lutheran	7
30 WAYLAND INVITATIONAL	
ML 4th place	88
OCTOBER	
4 St. John's	107
St. Mary's	70
Northwestern Prep	43
Martin Luther	36
7 ST. JOHN'S INVITATIONAL	
ML 5th place	
21 CONFERENCE MEET	
ML 2nd place	57
28 STATE MEET (CLASS B)	
ML 5th place	

Wrestling

VARSITY WRESTLING
NOVEMBER
16 Milw. Lutheran 41, ML 12
22 Rac. Lutheran 38, ML 24
29 NW Prep 40, ML 18
DECEMBER
2 St. Joseph's 43, ML 12
13 ML 34, Wayland 27
JANUARY
4 ML 29, Rac. Lutheran 22
10 Pius 32, ML 17
12 ML 36, St. John's 24
16 NW Prep 33, ML 21
18 ML 33, Franklin 26
24 ML 48, St. John's 17
31 ML 42, Wayland 18

JV WRESTLING
Nov. 16 Milw. Luther. 50, ML 26
Nov. 29 NW Prep 23, ML 11
Jan. 18 Franklin 45, ML 18

Varsity Basketball

NOVEMBER	ML
17 vs. Milw. Lutheran	72-77
22 vs. Messmer	66-80
DECEMBER	
1 vs. Wayland	81-67
2 vs. Northwestern	67-52
5 vs. Brown Deer	57-54
8 vs. St. Mary's	77-83
15 vs. Notre Dame	56-60
16 vs. Rac. Prarie	70-62
18 vs. St. John's	48-46
JANUARY	
5 vs. St. Joseph's	57-68
12 vs. University	63-61
13 vs. Rac. Lutheran	54-46
19 vs. Wayland	62-49
20 vs. Northwestern	52-46
27 vs. Rac. Lutheran	58-52
FEBRUARY	
3 vs. St. Mary's	49-54
9 vs. St. John's	48-69
10 vs. DeSales	64-55
16 vs. University	63-45
17 vs. Greenfield	43-40
23 REGIONALS	
vs. Wis. Lutheran	67-82

JV Basketball

NOVEMBER	ML
17 vs. Milw. Lutheran	42-63
22 vs. Messmer	37-42
DECEMBER	
1 vs. Wayland	64-36
2 vs. Northwestern	50-68
5 vs. Brown Deer	56-59
8 vs. St. Mary's	62-55
15 vs. Notre Dame	52-50
16 vs. Rac. Prarie	72-25
18 vs. St. John's	40-43
JANUARY	
5 vs. St. Joseph's	35-56
12 vs. University	48-39
13 vs. Rac. Lutheran	64-54
19 vs. Wayland	63-28
20 vs. Northwestern	59-60
27 vs. Rac. Lutheran	48-33
FEBRUARY	
3 vs. St. Mary's	47-53
9 vs. St. John's	52-40
10 vs. DeSales	46-41
16 vs. University	61-39
17 vs. Greenfield	48-56

Freshmen Basketball

NOVEMBER	ML
21 vs. Dominican	22-43
DECEMBER	
2 vs. Greendale	40-36
6 vs. University	34-30
9 vs. St. Mary's	27-26
12 vs. Marquette	36-45
15 vs. Milw. Lutheran	32-52
JANUARY	
6 vs. St. Mary's	16-41
12 vs. Dominican	29-57
13 vs. Sheboygan	49-31
27 vs. Pius "B"	37-39
30 vs. Marquette	17-41
FEBRUARY	
2 vs. Greendale	43-42
3 vs. Milw. Lutheran	20-53
7 vs. University	37-20

Tennis

ML 5, Wayland 0
ML 4, Racine Lutheran 1
University School 7, ML 0
ML 3, Racine Lutheran 2
ML 4, Northwestern Prep 3
University School 7, ML 0
ML 3, St. John's 2
Northwestern Prep 4, ML 1
Wayland 7, ML 0
ML 4, St. John's 3
CONFERENCE ML: 3rd place

Varsity Baseball

St. John's 7, ML 6
ML 11, St. John's 1
ML 6, University 6
ML 4, Northwestern 0
Northwestern 3, ML2
(9 innings)
Wayland 13, ML 10
(8 innings)
ML 8, Wayland 2
St. Mary's 8, ML 2
ML 5, St. Mary's 3
ML 26, Kettle Moraine Luth. 2
ML 2, Racine Lutheran 7
University 7, ML 4
Milw. Lutheran 9, ML 1

JV Baseball

MAY	ML
2 vs. Racine Lutheran	WON
9 vs. Racine Lutheran	LOST
12 vs. University	WON
16 vs. St. John's	LOST
vs. St. John's	WON
17 vs. Hamilton	LOST
19 vs. St. Mary's	LOST
vs. St. Mary's	LOST
23 vs. Wayland	WON

Track

MARCH	PTS
29 Whitnall	47
West Milwaukee	34
St. Francis	29
Martin Luther	19
APRIL	
4 St. Joseph's	76
Racine Lutheran	50
Martin Luther	36
18 University School	100
Martin Luther	27
19 West Milwaukee	78
Martin Luther	51
N. Berlin	
Eisenhower	40
25 Martin Luther	60
Milwaukee Lutheran	58
5 LUTHERAN INVITATIONAL AT MILWAUKEE LUTHERAN	
ML 2nd place	71
8 Racine Lutheran	85
Martin Luther	42
9 CONFERENCE RELAYS	
ML 3rd place-tied	32
12 CONFERENCE TRACK MEET	
ML 3rd place	79
15 SABER INVITATIONAL	
ML 5th place	57
17 FRANKLIN JV INVITATIONAL	
ML 5th place	41
19 WISSA STATE CLASS B TRACK MEET	
ML 5th place	44

51½

40½

The Martin Luther

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7. _____
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1. Record of the school year
2. Author of the Odessey
3. Sold successfully by M.L. Ladies' Guild
4. _____, camera, action
5. A famous M.L. athlete
6. The heaviest wood
7. Statement of Mathematical law

Answer The Following Trivia Questions:

1. Who were the Homecoming King and Queen of 1975?
2. Who was the Salutatorian for the Class of 1978?
3. Who says, ''Smile, Sparkle and No Gum!''?
4. What were the two plays which were produced by the student body in the fall of 1976?
5. How many faculty members gave birth in the 1978-1979 school year?
6. How many seniors are pictured in the 1975 yearbook?
7. How many snow days were there in the school year 1978-1979?
8. How many pages were in the 1978 yearbook?
9. What four choral groups performed in the spring concert of 1976?
10. How many lockers are in the school?
11. How many windows are in the cafeteria?
12. Who was Julie Kaphingst's homecoming date in 1976?
13. Who are the original eight faculty members who were employed at M.L. in the 1978-1979 school year?
14. Who were the 1977 Prom King and Queen?
15. Who was Julie Kaphingst's Prom date in 1978?
16. What band played at the 1978 Sweetheart Dance?
17. What was the Class Song for the graduates of 1979?
18. What year did Mr. Valleskey take the position of Principal at Martin Luther?
19. Who was the principal prior to Mr. Valleskey?
20. What two people taught drama during the 1977-1978 school year?
21. Who were on the Executive Board of the Student Council in 1976-1977?
22. Who was the Director of Development for the 1975-1976 school year?
23. What is painted under Mr. Schnake's blackboard?
24. How many bubblers are in working order in the school today?
25. How many minutes of free time are in an average summer vacation?
26. What is the average number of minutes each clock in the school is off?
27. Who was the 1976 Varsity Girl's Softball coach?
28. Who was the author of the closing poem for the 1977-1978 yearbook?
29. Who was the author of the poem on the endsheets of the 1978-1979 yearbook?
30. Who was Julie Kaphingst's date for the 1979 Sweetheart Dance?

Phalanx GraySheets

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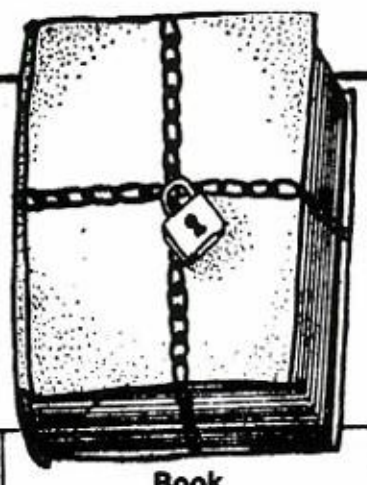
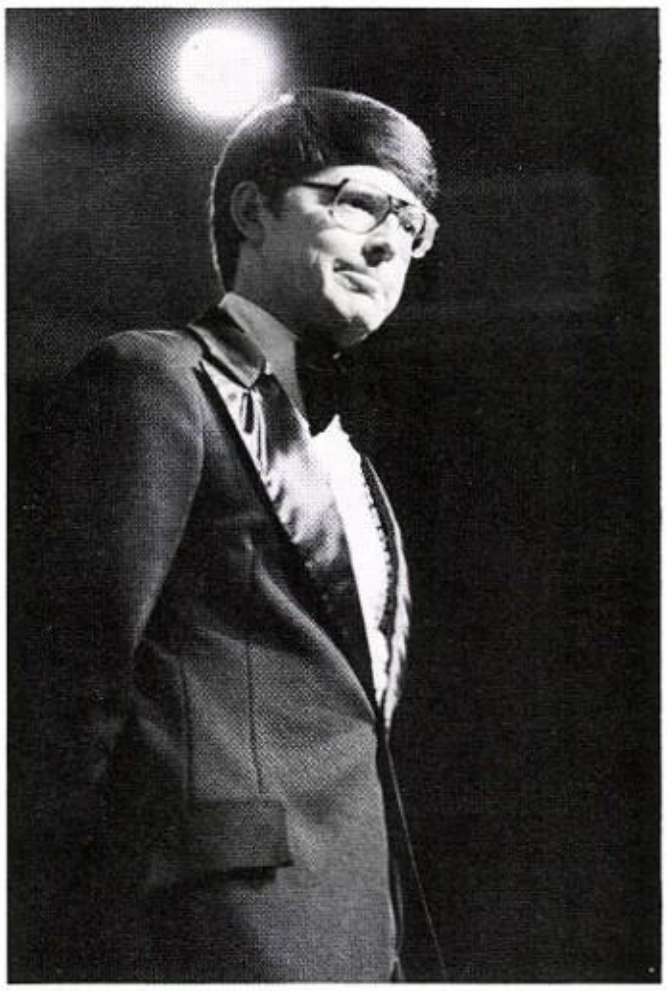


The 15 Most Challenged Books In American Public Schools

Reported In Six State And National Studies Between 1963 and 1977

Rank	Book	Number of Objections	A Sample of Allegations	Percent of Libraries With Book
1	The Catcher in the Rye J.D. Salinger	156	"222 hells, 27 Crissakes 7 hornys . . . 785 profanities,"	76.5%
2	Nineteen Eighty-Four George Orwell	39	Immoral	88.9%
3	The Grapes of Wrath John Steinbeck	31	"full of filth . . . mockery of religion."	92.2%
4	Lord of the Flies William Golding	22	"Work of the devil."	87.8%
5	Brave New World Aldous Huxley	21	Attitudes on sex	86.3%
6	To Kill a Mockingbird Harper Lee	16	"Language, concepts unfit for children"	92.4%
7	Of Mice and Men John Steinbeck	15	"Gutter language. put down blacks, distorted"	88.3%
8	Black Like Me John H. Griffin	12	"Obscene language . . . integration centered"	83.3%
* 9	Manchild in the Promised Land Claude Brown	10	Profanity, no literary value, degrading	52.7%
9	The Scarlet Letter Nathaniel Hawthorne	10	Immoral: "Adultery theme"	94.1%
9	Go Ask Alice Anonymous	10	"Dirty, sinful, obscene, teaching about drugs"	73.5%
9	Hawaii James Michener	10	"Lurid passages"	75.5%
*13	One Day in the Life of Ivan Denisovich Alexander Solzhenitsyn	9	"Too many four letter words"	64.3%
13	One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest Kenneth Kesey	9	"Pornography . . . We don't need any trash in our school."	
13	A Separate Peace John Knowles	9	"Too adult . . . homosexual"	85.7%



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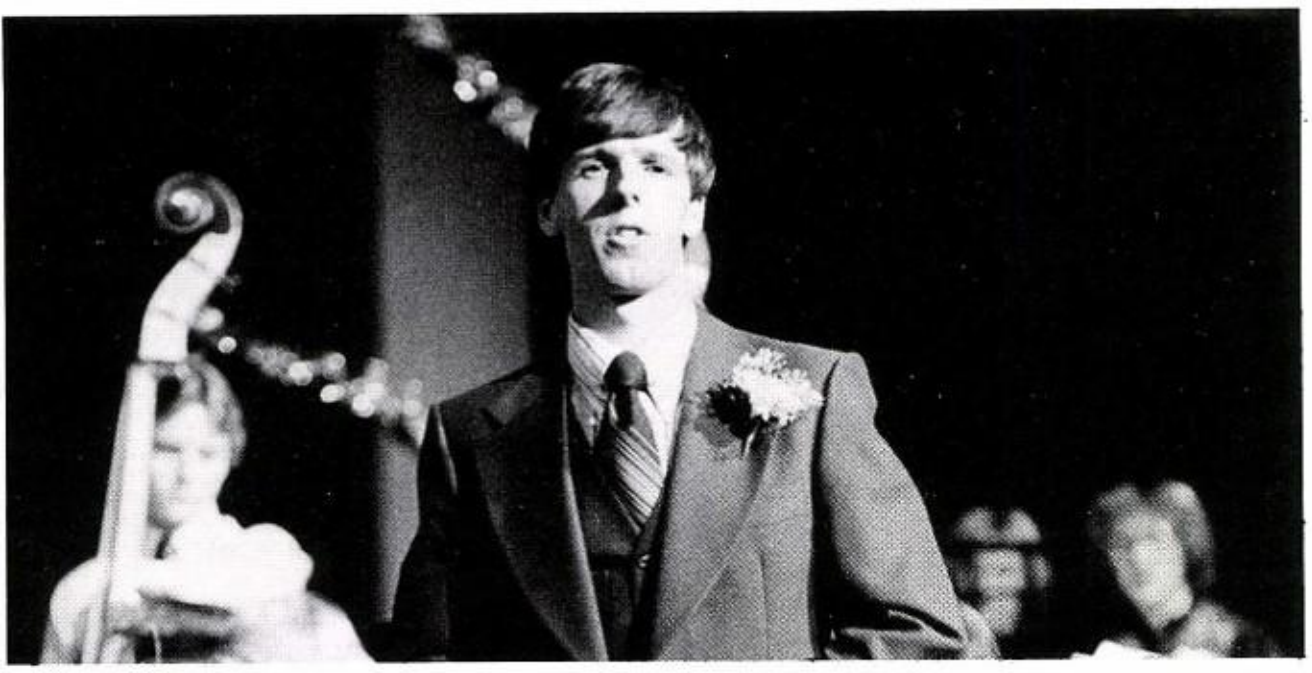


New Freshmen Prepare For 1979-80

Milwaukee Lutheran and Martin Luther high schools for the past few weeks have been helping Lutheran eighth graders prepare for their freshman year at the high schools. Beginning early in January, the principals and selected senior students from the high schools visited the eighth grade classes, explaining the schools' academic and extra-curricular programs and speaking of the Lutheran High family in Christ. A week later the eighth graders and their parents met at the individual high schools for an open house, during which time there was opportunity to ask questions and to tour the building

Now eighth graders are registering for their freshman year at the high schools, each student coming to the school with his parents and sitting down and talking over his academic program with a faculty advisor -- "Should I take one or two semesters of P.E.?" "Should I take a foreign language this year or wait until my sophomore year?" "Should I sign up for freshman chorus or try out for the girls' concert choir?" So many questions, but easy to cope with when there are people to help and advise. Many of the Class of '83 are now eagerly anticipating fall for the beginning of a new step in their education -- at Milwaukee Lutheran or Martin Luther High School.

Martin Luther Snow Closing Are Very Unlikely

Martin Luther High School rarely is closed unexpectedly, but if it is necessary because of inclement weather, announcements will be made before 6:30 a.m. on four radio stations: WOKY, WISN, WEMP and WTMJ, according to a spokesman.

The lack of any announcement will mean that school will be open and buses operating, the spokesman said. Decisions to close the school will be based on whether the buses can operate.

If school does remain open but parents feel that the trip would be too hazardous, their judgment is honored.

Schneider Makes Squad

Steve Schneider, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Schneider, 5402 Meadow Dr., has been selected to play on the 1978-79 Concordia Teachers College team in River Forest, Ill.

A senior at Concordia, Steve Schneider graduated in 1975 from Martin Luther High School. He is majoring in physical education at Concordia.

Schneider will play center for Coach Tom Fassbolz' Cougars.

The New Teachers Welcomed

NEW TEACHERS

WE WELCOME TO OUR STAFF MRS. CAROLE BAARS, MISS DELORES VALSTAD, AND REV. MORITZ HARGENS. MRS. BAARS IS A MEMBER OF OKLAHOMA AVENUE CHURCH AND COMES TO US WITH PREVIOUS TEACHING EXPERIENCE ON BOTH THE HIGH SCHOOL AND JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL LEVELS. SHE WILL REPLACE MRS. DIANNE PIERCE IN THE HOME ECONOMICS DEPARTMENT.

MISS DELORES VALSTAD, A RECENT GRADUATE OF UW-WHITEWATER, REPLACES MRS. MARNEE SHANNON IN THE BUSINESS DEPARTMENT.

REV. MORITZ HARGENS, PASTOR OF ST. STEPHEN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH, WILL BE TEACHING SPANISH CLASSES THE SECOND SEMESTER AS MRS. GWEN SPARKS HAS ASSUMED A FULL-TIME POSITION ELSEWHERE.

WE ARE GRATEFUL TO MRS. PIERCE, MRS. SHANNON, AND MRS. SPARKS FOR THEIR EFFORTS AT MARTIN LUTHER AND WISH THEM WELL IN THE FUTURE.

MAY GOD BE WITH THE NEW STAFF MEMBERS AND BLESS THEIR EFFORTS AMONG US.

Mr. Valleskey's Letter To The Graduates And Student Body

Dear Graduates:

Our school theme for this year has been "In Love Helping Each Other". This theme certainly reflects the words of the Apostle Paul in Ephesians 2:8-10 where he says, "We are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them."

The person who puts his trust in Christ the Savior and Lord has not only been re-created; he has been custom built for a specific purpose — for doing good. He has been designed, equipped, and tooled to serve his fellowman and his God. As Luther puts it, "That I may be His own and live under Him in His kingdom and serve Him in everlasting righteousness, innocence, and blessedness."

God's expectancies of us are high! He does not want us to be mere caricatures of the genuine Christian faith and life — to be merely spinning our wheels impressively but yet doing no earthly good to our neighbor or to society. He wants fruits of faith.

As God's young people, how do we receive the power, strength, initiative, and motivation for good to others? If we look to each other, to parents or teachers, we will be disappointed. Only God's Spirit can make this happen. As He gives us faith, He also gives us the ability to love and perform good works. "Without faith it is impossible to please Him."

As God so loved the world that He gave His Son into death for us — so we too can love others. This is not a superficial love but a sacrificial love — a love which gives, a love which asks nothing in return, a love which reaches out to others.

Dear graduates, may God give each of you a faith which manifests itself in genuine love of neighbor and glorification of God. May you be blessed with helping hands, listening ears, burden-bearing shoulders, and caring hearts.

God be with each of you.

Yours in Christ,

Roman C. Valleskey
PRINCIPAL

Who Makes The School Go Round?

Mrs. Koeller: Cook

Mr. Butcher: Maintenance

Mrs. Kossow: Cook

Mrs. Spitzer: Cook

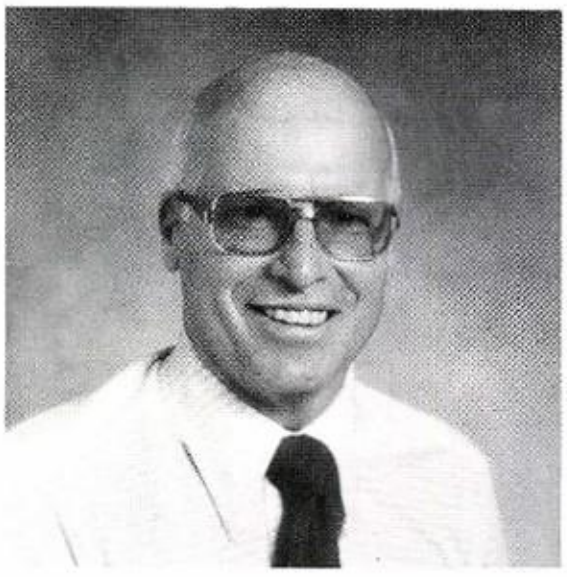
Mrs. Maike: Cook

HISTORY REQUIRES THINKING CAPS MR. FASZHOLZ IS PREPARED

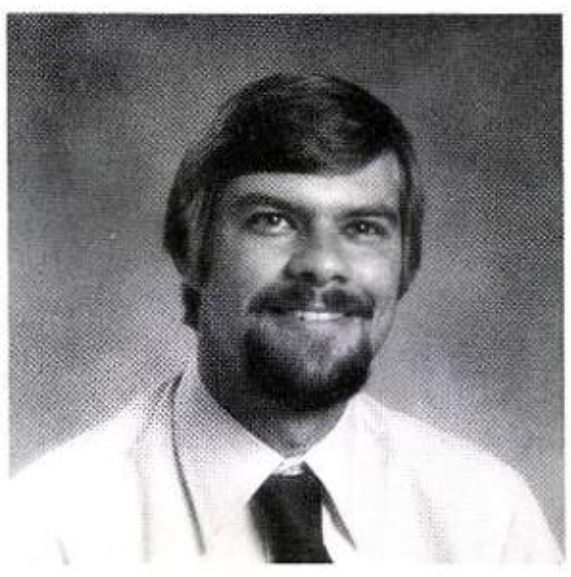
Dedicated, inspiring, funny, early, late, interesting — what can we say about the faculty? Our words are inadequate. Rather than use our words to write about the faculty, we have chosen to let the faculty "write" about themselves. Each teacher was given a questionaire. Some of them filled them out. We have quoted liberally from their answers, which range from ridiculous to inspiring. We hope you enjoy their comments.

As you read the answer by Mr. Herzog, you will recognize a World History teacher. "I don't characterize any historical personage as myself, but two individuals I do admire and even emulate to a small degree. They are Sir Thomas More and Sir Winston Churchill. Both men possessed a massive capacity to use knowledge and insight to solve the problems of their day. Both men had the ability to articulate their positions by mastering the written word and spoken word."

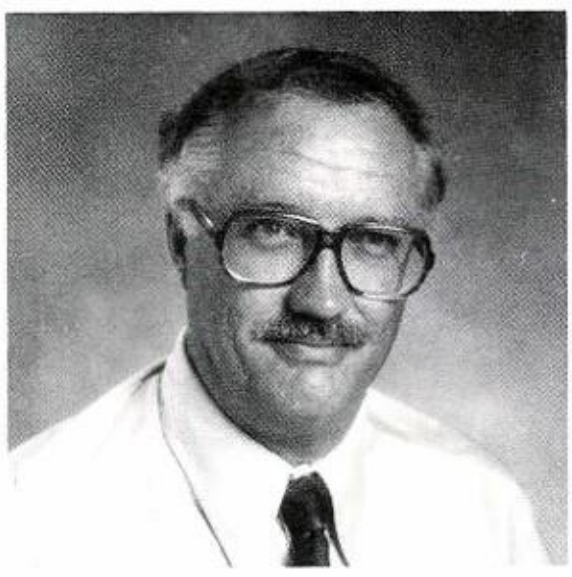
MR. FASZHOLZ: History, Geography, Economics, Baseball



MR. HERZOG: History, Psychology, Track, Cross Country.

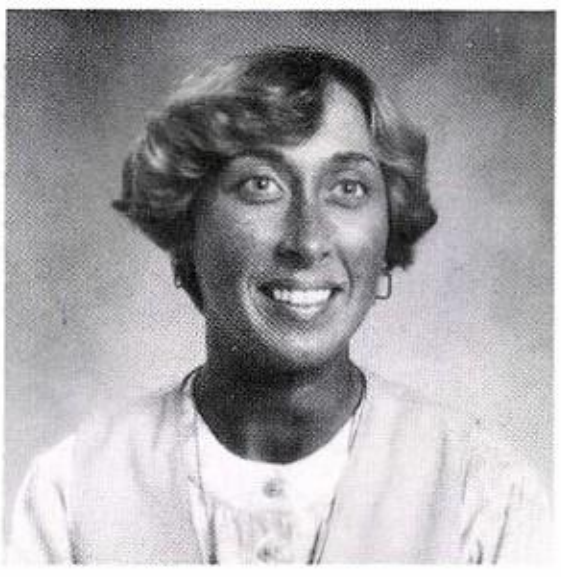


MR. DOEPKE: History, German, Golf.



MRS. SPARKS: Spanish

MRS. DAHL: Spanish, Pom pons.



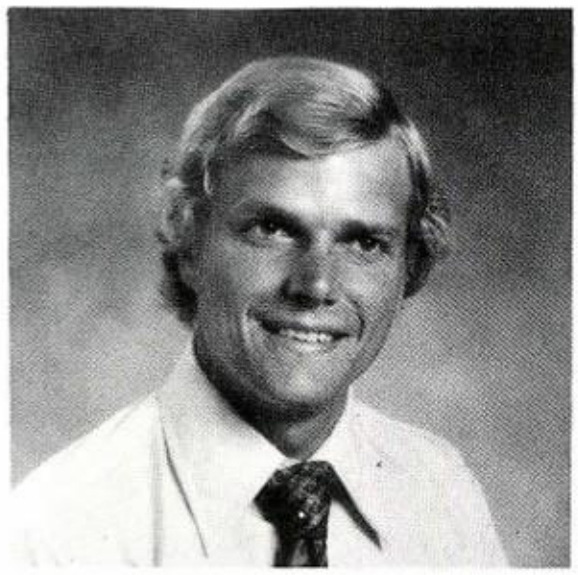
Mr. Gabler was asked what famous person in history he wanted to be like? He replied, ''Anne Sullivan (Helen Keller's teacher). She did what she thought was best for her student even if it was something she did not like doing.'' Mr. Gabler also told us what he thought of the school. ''I'd rate it a B+''

Why is Mr. Koepke teaching math? ''Always chose math courses as electives in high school and enjoyed them in college. Favorite subject.'' What were the greatest influences on his life? ''Mother-strict and loving, made me join Boy Scouts, take music lessons, etc. Would never have experienced much worth hanging on to with her. Going away to college - important for decision making and self supporting and independence.''

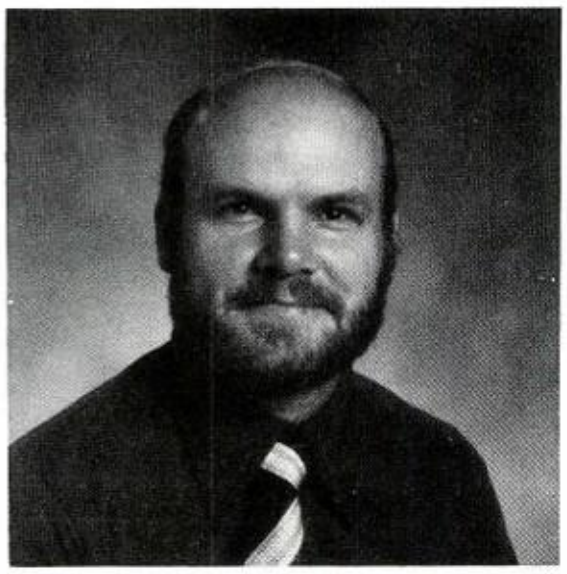
Mrs. Shannon has some advice to students about life. ''Jesus stated it best --- 'Love one another' --- even those who seem to dislike you; truly love each other from the heart. Also, don't be afraid to love life. God didn't make us to be serious and down on ourselves and the world, but to be happy.'' Why did Mrs. Shannon get into teaching? ''I'm a teacher because I really enjoy workingwith'children' of all ages, from 0 to 105, trying to help them better themselves so they become better people and learn to enjoy living.'' We know we have enjoyed having Mrs. Shannon teach us. We hope she enjoys her little 0 year old next year.

Mangled Manners

MR. KOEPKE: Mathematics, Theology, Basketball, Tennis.

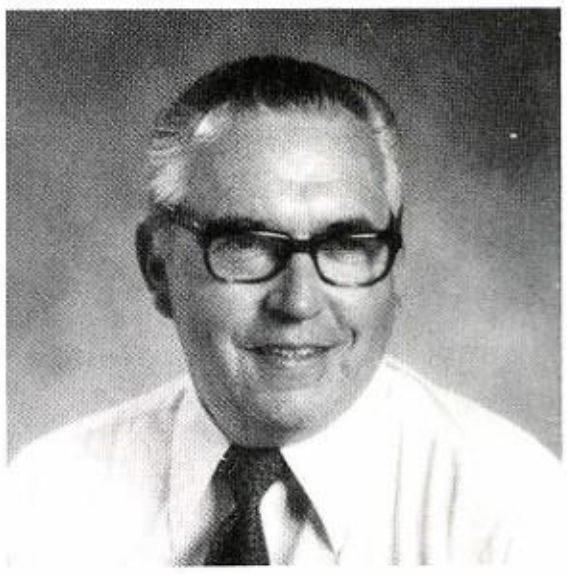


MR. MANGELS: Mathematics, Basketball, Football.



MRS. SHANNON: Typing, Shorthand, Office Machines.

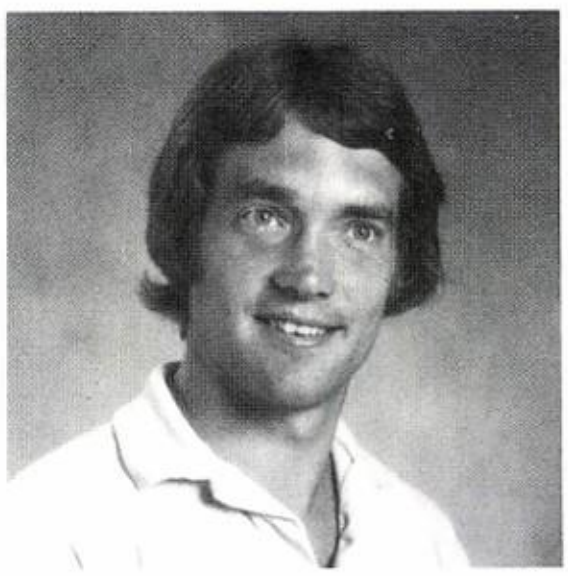
MR. HAFEMAN: Typing, Office Machines, Accounting.



MR. GABLER: Mathematics, Volleyball.

MISS MOORE: Phy. Ed., Volleyball

MR. CATTAU: Phy. Ed., J. V. Football, Wrestling



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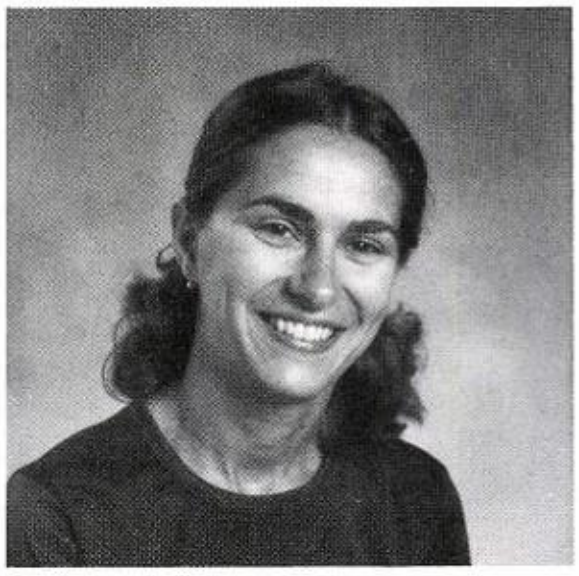
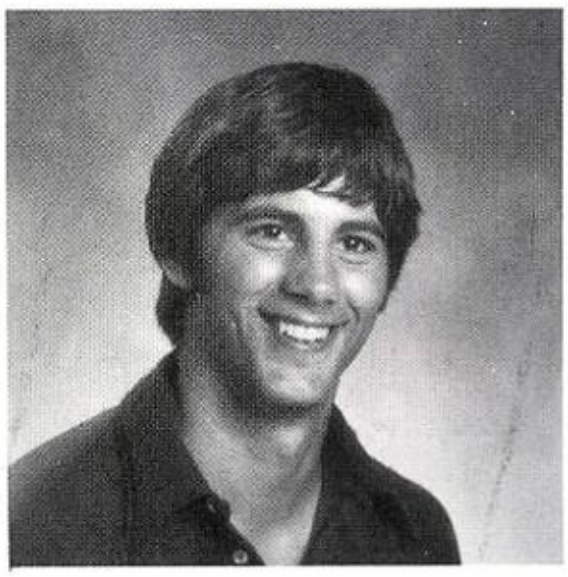


MR. SCHEIDER: Phy. Ed., J. V. Basketball



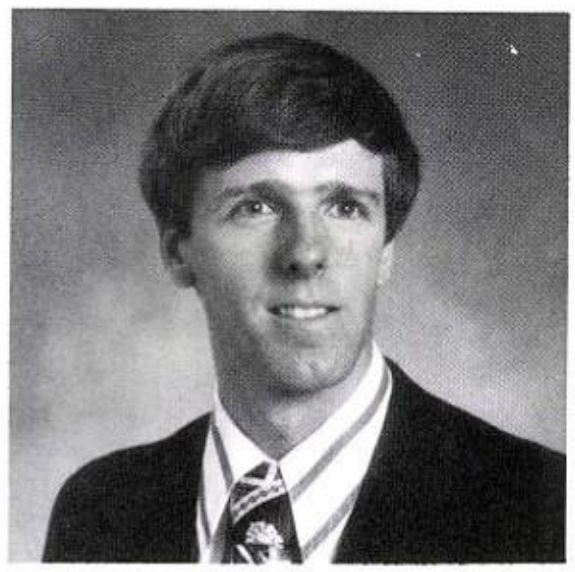
Music And Muscle Combine Forces

Mr. Deffner was asked what advice he would give students on the question of life. Here is what he said. "Be open — open your eyes to the beauty and variety around you. Open your mind to new ideas and further growth. And open your heart to the Spirit of God." He also tells of his greatest influence. "The greatest influence on my life is knowing God."

In response to the question, why are you teaching the subjects you teach, Mrs. Menzel said, "I have always been active in sports, being a 'tom-boy' when I was young, and I felt this was a good way to stay active."

MR. KRUBSACK: Band, Adv. Music, Humanities, Jazz Lab

MR. DEFFNER: Theology, Chorus, Concert Choir, Troubadors

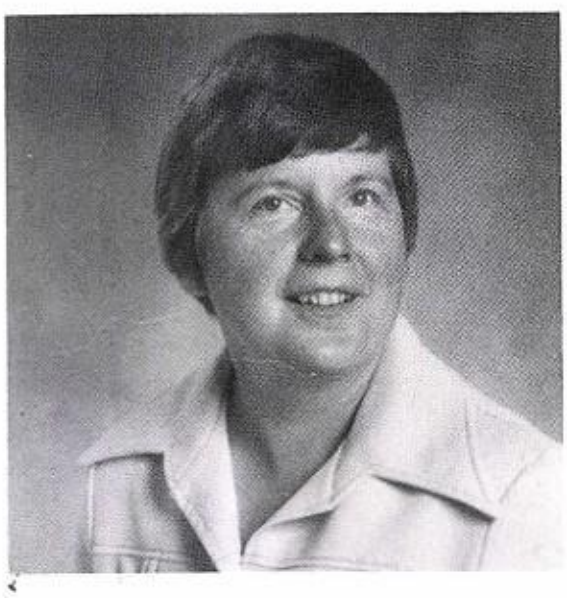


Scholarly Direction

MRS. KLOEHN: English, Speech Selective Lit.

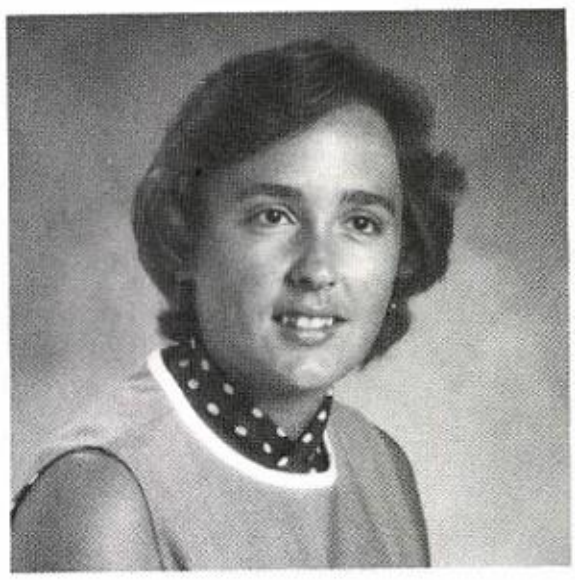
MR. REIGLES: English, World Lit, Track

MRS. WEGENER: American Lit., Yearbook



The yearbook staff found Miss Carey's response to our questionaire interesting. Unable to decide which part of her answer to use, we have quoted her entire answer. ''I'm frustrated with your form, because I'd like to think of some clever answers with which to impress you; however, since I am who I am, you'll have to be content with the ordinary answers I give. — In the words of Mrs. Wegener, 'these are the kinds of questions up with which I will not put!' (Mrs. Wegener has no idea when she could have said this.) I'm very good on multiple choice, matching, ranking or true/false. Haven't you heard of matching the task to the student. (in this case, teachers being the students)? If you have any more questions, feel free to ask them. I'm always willing to help out for yearbook.''

MISS CAREY: English, Girl's Track



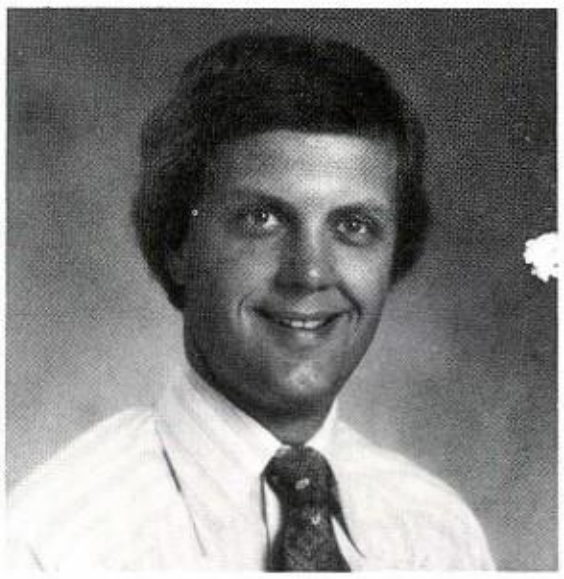
Why would anyone teach English? Mrs. Wegener tells us why she does. ''Reading is fun, interesting, exciting, and horizon expanding. Writing can lead to self discovery. I would like everyone to know the excitement of reading and writing. The best way I know to spread the good word about reading and writing is to teach English.''

What do you think of our school? ''Generally speaking, I think our school is great!'' This is the happy opinion of Mrs. Pierce. Mrs. Pierce also told us about the greatest influences in her life. ''My parents, especially my mom, had the greatest influence on my development, throughout the first eighteen years of my life. I still value her opinion a great deal.''

MRS. PIERCE: Home Eonomics

Miss Carey Makes Her Debut

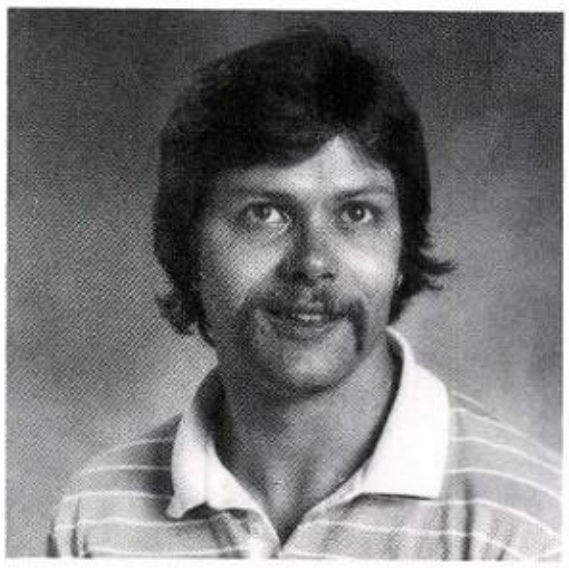
MR. WIDENHOFER: Theology, JV Football.



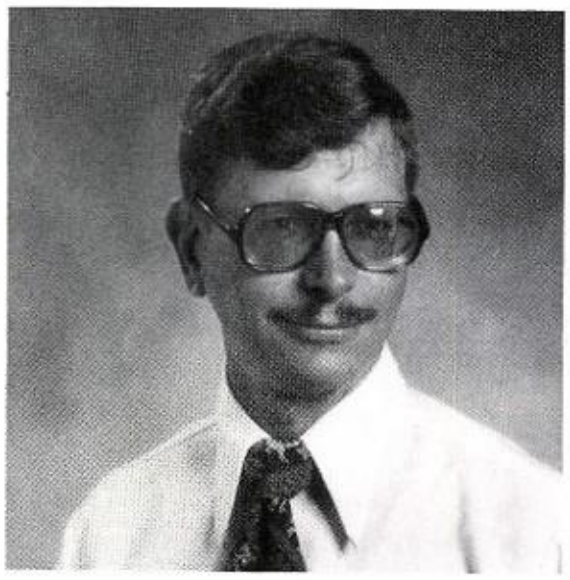
Miss Rippe had some good advice for students on the question of life, "Be yourself! Don't try to conform to what seems to be the 'accepted' way to be according to your peers."

This is what Mr. Widenhoffer said about our school, "A fantastic gift of God. There's more we can do to educate."

MR. SCHNAKE: Theology.

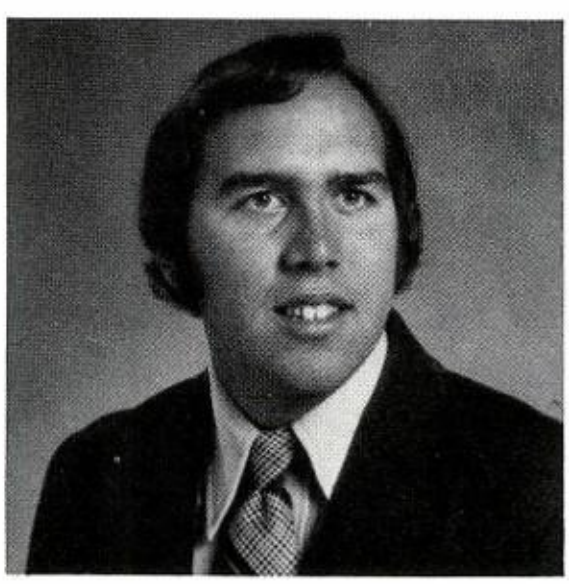


MR. BERLINSKI: Theology, Baseball

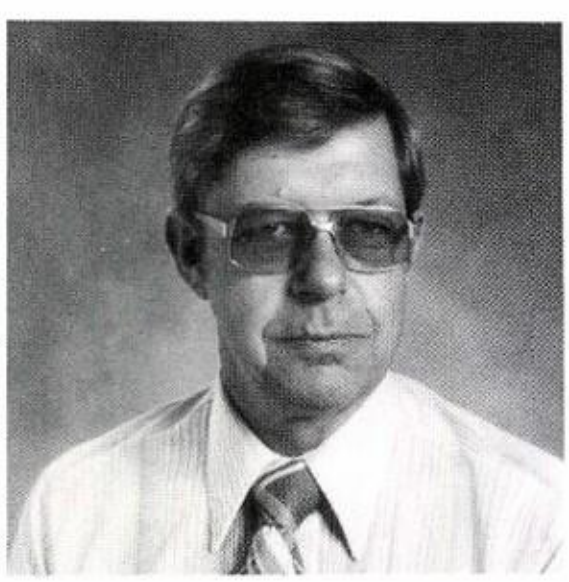


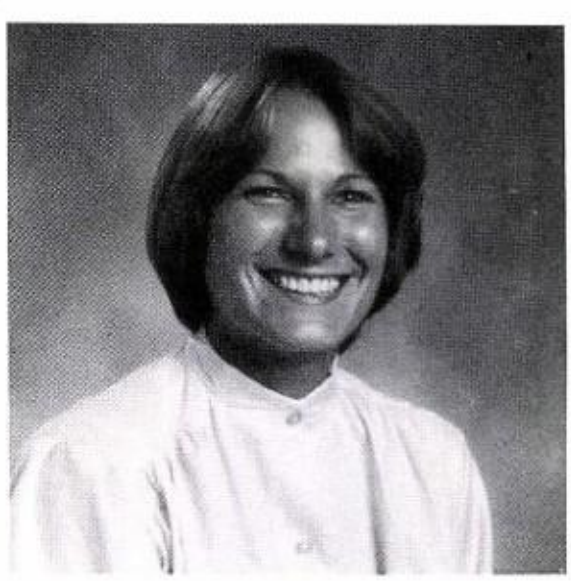
MISS RIPPE: Biology, Plant Science, Pom Pons.

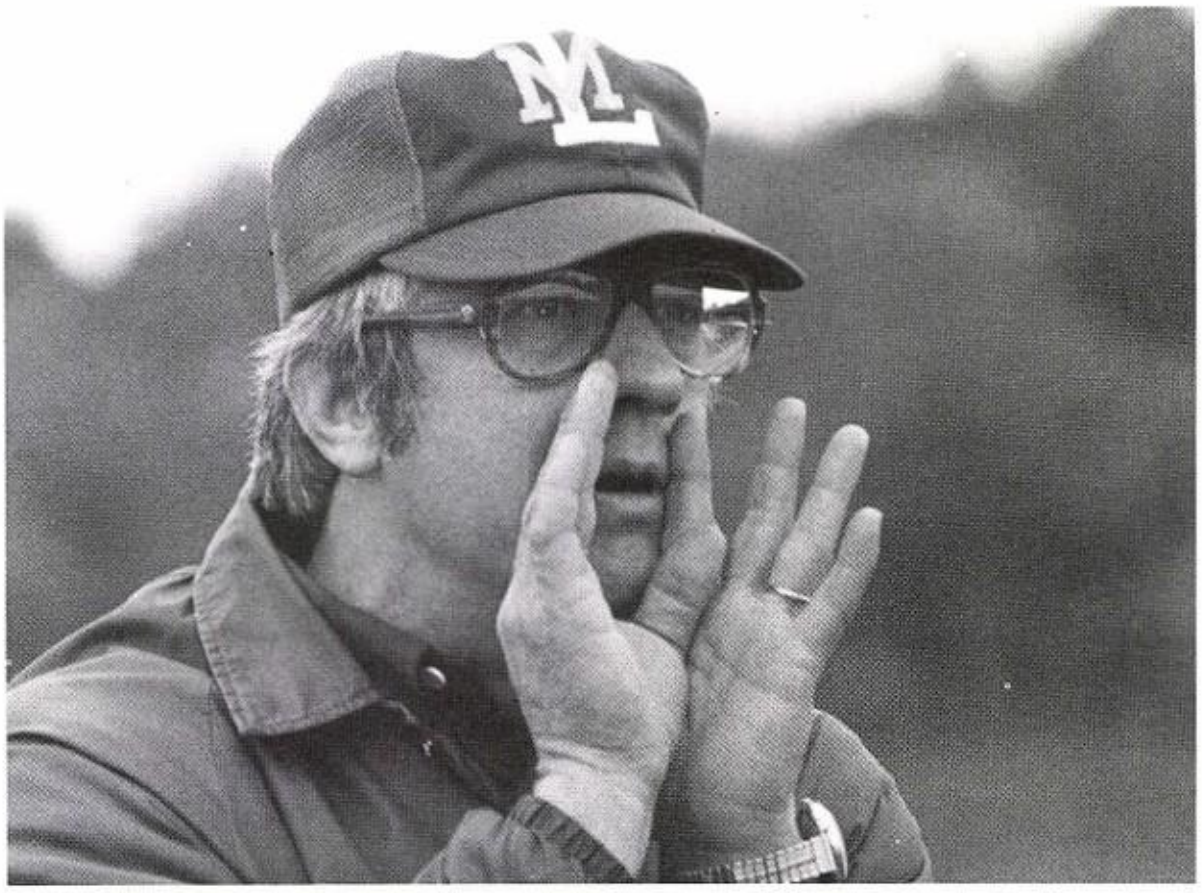
MR. SODEMAN: Physics, AV, Physical Science.



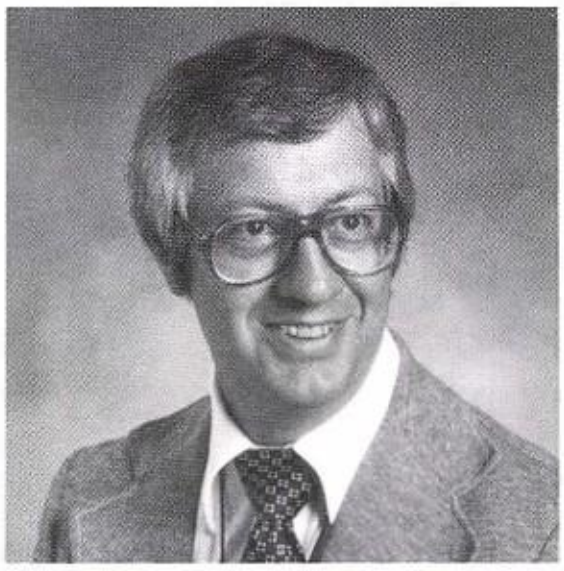
MR. TEETZEN: Chemistry, physical Science, Student Council.







MR. RICHTER: Art, Wrestling, Football

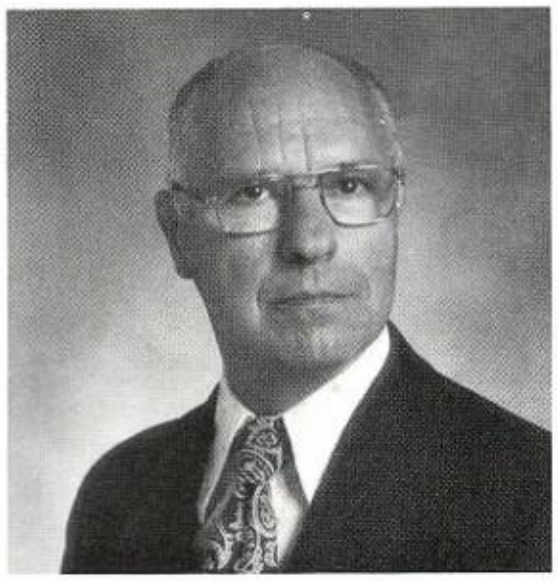


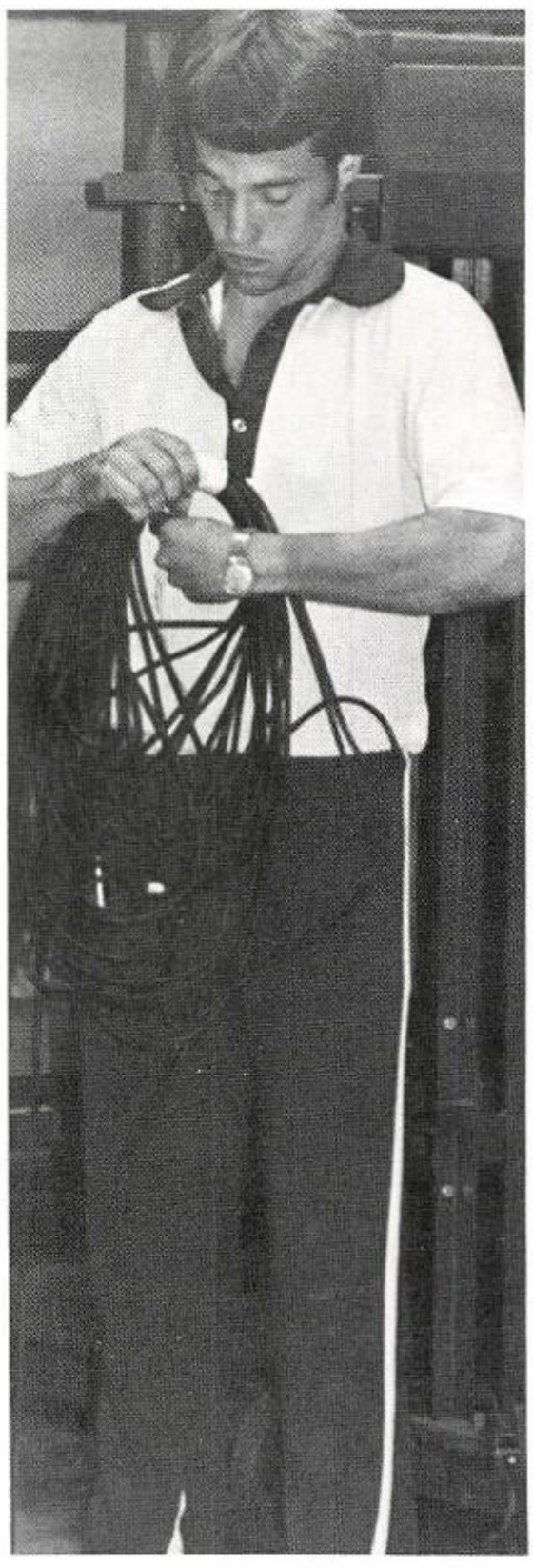
MRS. KUCHLER: Librarian

MRS. MEYER: Art, Handicrafts

MRS. STORM: Librarian

MR. BOCHE: Shop, Mechanical Drawing





Here's what Mrs. Fuss said about our school, "We have an excellent facility here, modern, clean, pleasant-all these lead to good learning possibilities if all apply themselves."

MRS. OSWALD: Association Secretary

MRS. TOEPFER: Association Secretary

MRS. HERRIGES: Association Secretary

MRS. FUSS: Office Secretary

MRS. KURI: Association Secretary

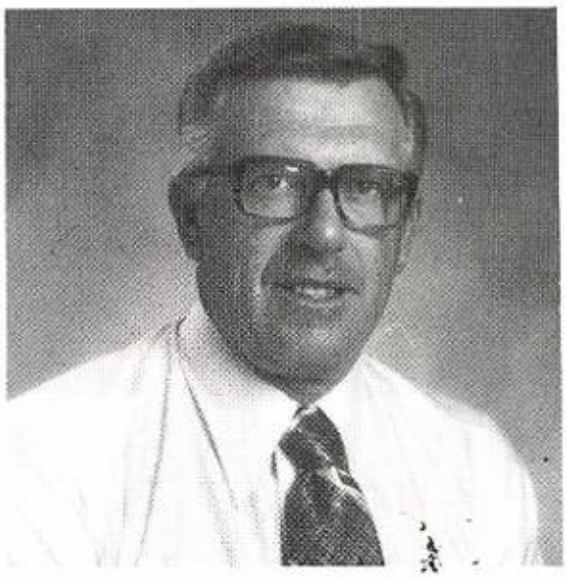
MRS. NITSCHE: Association Secretary

MRS. BANGERT: Office Secretary

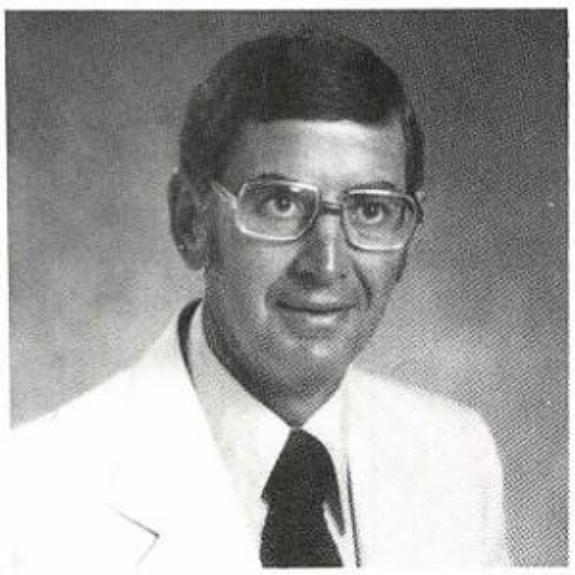
Mrs. Fuss Gets A Promotion

MRS. BRANDT: Association Secretary

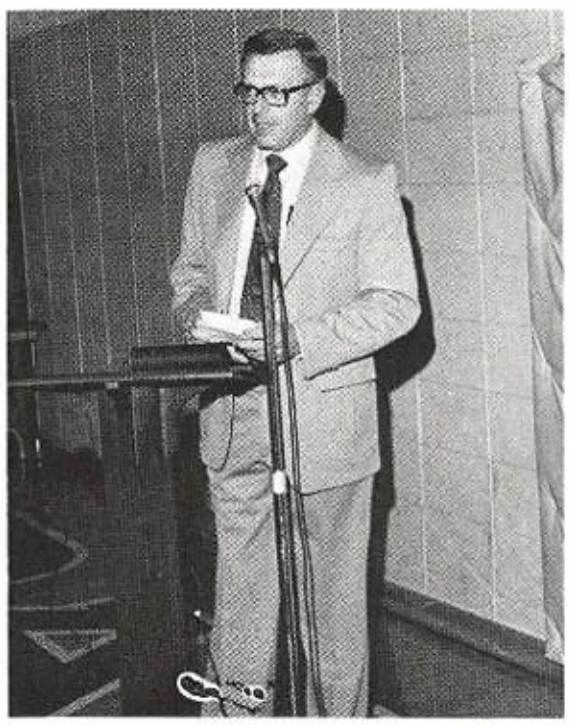
MR. SCHNEIDER: Dean of Students



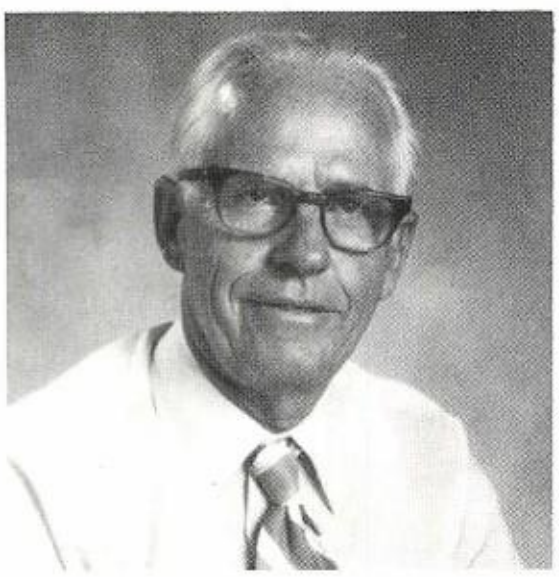
MR. STORM: Asst. to the Superintendant



MR. VALLESKY: Principal



MR. WEDEL: Guidance Counselor



Mr. Wedel was asked why he was a teacher? He replied, "From my youth on I had always wanted to enter a helping type of profession. I started out studying for the pastoral ministry, but during my freshman at college year decided to enter the teaching ministry. I felt I could be more effective in this area rather than as a pastor. I realized my own limitations in the pastoral ministry and felt I could serve better in relating to young people." Mr. E. Schneider was asked what advice would he give students on the question of life? He replied, "Be the Best that you can be and do All to the Glory of the Lord ... And have a sense of humor. Laughter cheers the soul. I regard it as the lubrication of the human spirit. Most of the 'Champions' I've known could laugh - even at themselves!" He was also asked what he thought of our school? He told us "The Greatest, I love Martin Luther High School, my fellow workers and students. We have a fine outstanding facility and property. God has entrusted us to care for it.

DR. WESSLER: Superintendent

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St. Mary's Takes The Lead Temporarily In Prep Race

Midwest Prep Race

	W	L		W	L
St. Mary's	3	0	Univ. School	1	2
St. John's	2	0	Northwestern	0	2
Martin Luther	2	1	Wayland	0	2
Racine Luth.	1	2			

"Any team that shoots 77% in the second half, you can't beat," said Coach Al Koepke of Martin Luther. "It was just the wrong breaks at the wrong time."

By Tom Faupl

of The Journal Staff

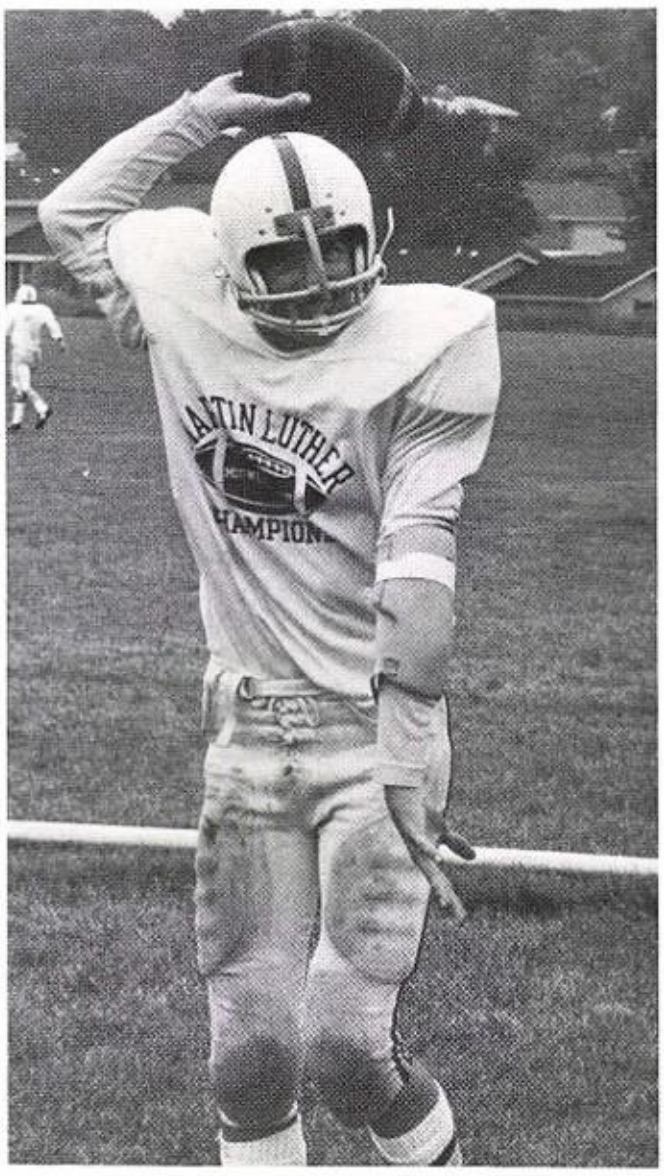
Burlington St. Mary's held together when it counted the most, but Coach Bob Peterson wasn't about to do any bragging.

The Hilltoppers, after all, had held a comfortable nine point lead late in the game before surviving a furious rally by Martin Luther for an 83-77 victory in a Midwest Prep Conference basketball game at Martin Luther Friday night.

"Well, it was good to see us win that one," said Peterson. "Both teams got sloppy toward the end, but it was good to see us not fold after they had cut the lead to two. I'm not bragging, though."

St. Mary's held a 76-67 lead with less than four minutes remaining, but then Martin Luther started to chip away.

After three straight field goals by Martin Luther,



guard Jim Povlick scored on a jump shot from the top of the key, and the Spartans trailed with 1:30 left, 77-75. Bob Smetana, who scored 20 points, made a layup for St. Mary's, but Martin Luther's Jeff Lemke responded with his own layup, and with 21 seconds left the game was still up for grabs.

John Smith, though, delivered the clutch performance for St. Mary's after he was fouled twice in the final seconds of the game. Smith sank four free throws, finishing with 27 points.

Don Smith scored 19 points and Steve Luethy added 18, including 14 in the second half, for Martin Luther.

But the Spartans couldn't overcome St. Mary's 77% shooting average in the second half. The Hilltoppers made 17 of 22 field goals, while Martin Luther shot 57% by making 21 of 37 shots.

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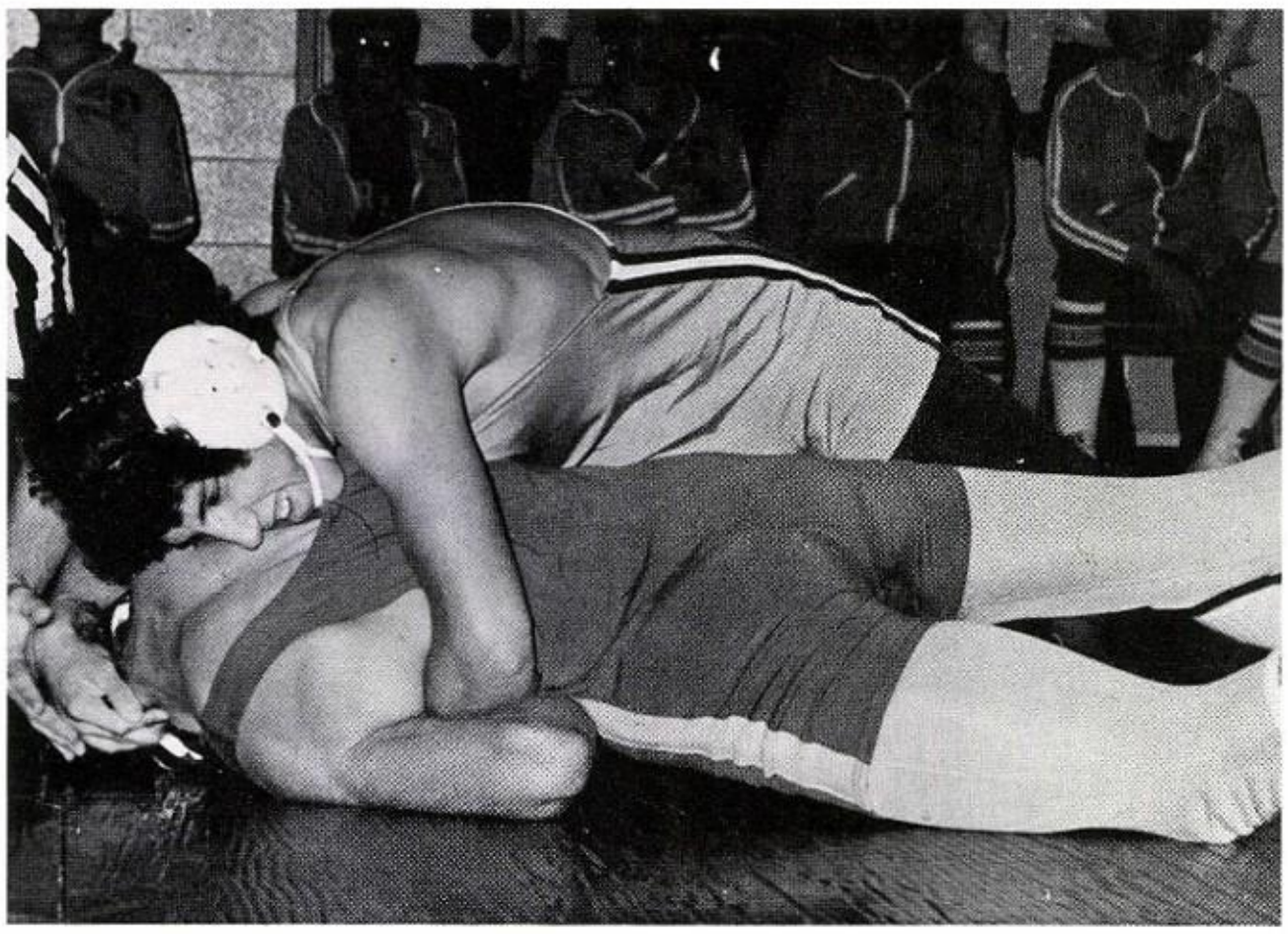


Wrestlers Win Several Of The 1979 Conference Seats

Five Martin Luther wrestlers won conference championships, but a lack of depth hurt the Spartans as they finished third with 88 1/2 points, behind Watertown Northwestern Preps with 103 and Racine Lutheran with 92.

Jim Lamm at 105 pounds, Dave Schuldt at 132, Dan Luedke at 145, Dan Levan at 167, and heavyweight Tim Moravek all won their respective weights, while defending champion Bob Sanders took second at 155 pounds. A little dismayed after winning five of twelve championships and not winning the tournament, Coach Ted Richter remarked that he was "real happy with the six" named above, but that his other wrestlers are still learning and were not yet ready for the meet. He has one big consolation, however, in the only one of his five champions, Schuldt, will not be back next year, so the Spartans should be very strong for the future.

Spartans Win, Share Prep Lead

Martin Luther survived a late rally by University School and moved into a tie for first place in the Midwest Prep Conference basketball race Friday night.

Jim Povlick and Don Leifer each made a free throw in the final minute and a half to help the Spartans score a 63-61 victory over the Wildcats at University School.

Martin Luther moved into a tie for the lead with Burlington St. Mary's, which was idle. Both schools have 4-1 records.

Wayland, 41-32

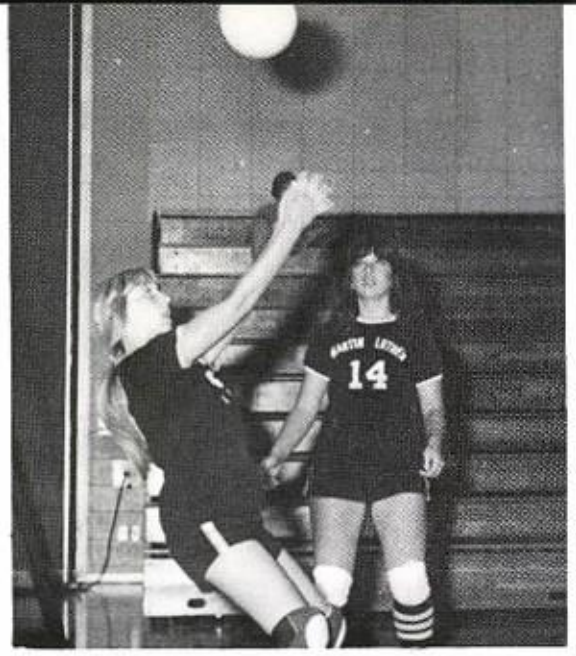
Beaver Dam Wayland recorded its first conference victory of the season with a 41-32 decision over Watertown Northwestern at Beaver Dam. Tim Foley of Wayland led all scorers with 10 points.

Martin Luther 63, University School 61

Martin Luther (12-20-20-11—63): Smith 3 4-4 10, Brunette 2 0-0 4, Povlick 3 2-7 8, Lemke 1 0-0 2, Bliese 0 0-1 0, Bartrom 0 0-0 0, Leifer 7 5-7 19, Bluhm 2 0-1 4, Luethy 7 2-2 16. Totals — 25 13-22 **63.** Total Fouls — 15. Fouled Out — None.

University School (14-11-16-20—61): Randolph 6 2-6 14, Benson 2 0-0 4, C. Parker 7 3-5 17, Johnston 8 2-2 18, Reid 1 0-2 2, Johnson 2 0-1 4, T. Parker 1 0-0 2. **Totals — 27 7-16 61.** Total Fouls — 15. **Fouled Out — None.**

Freshmen



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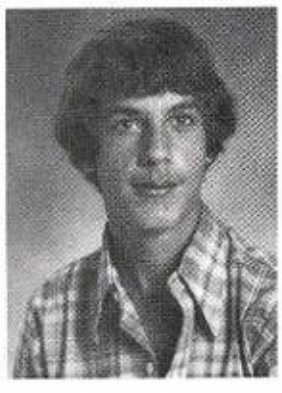

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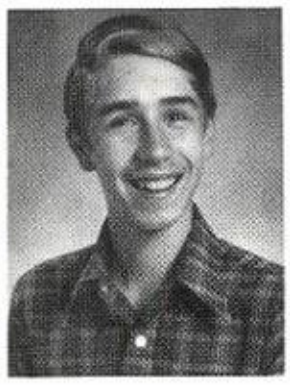

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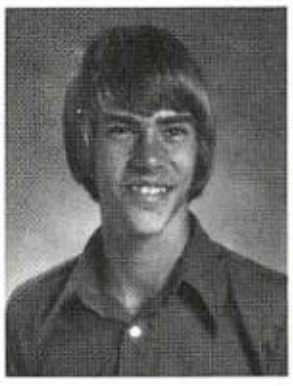

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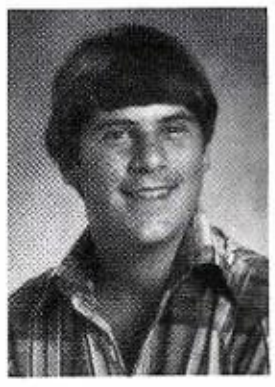

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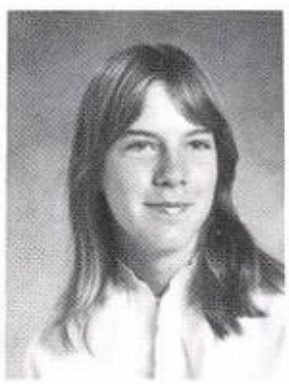

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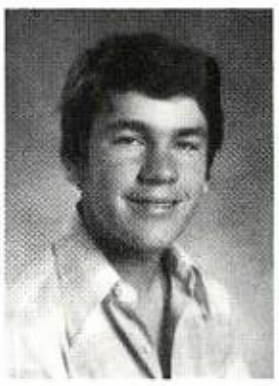

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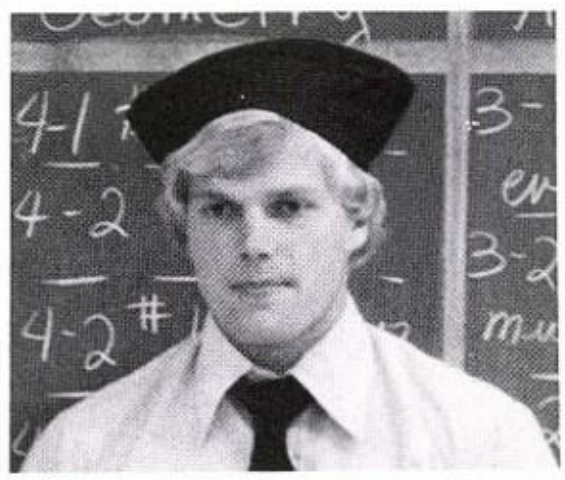

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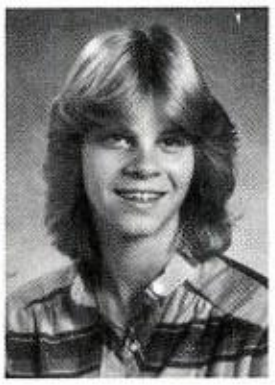

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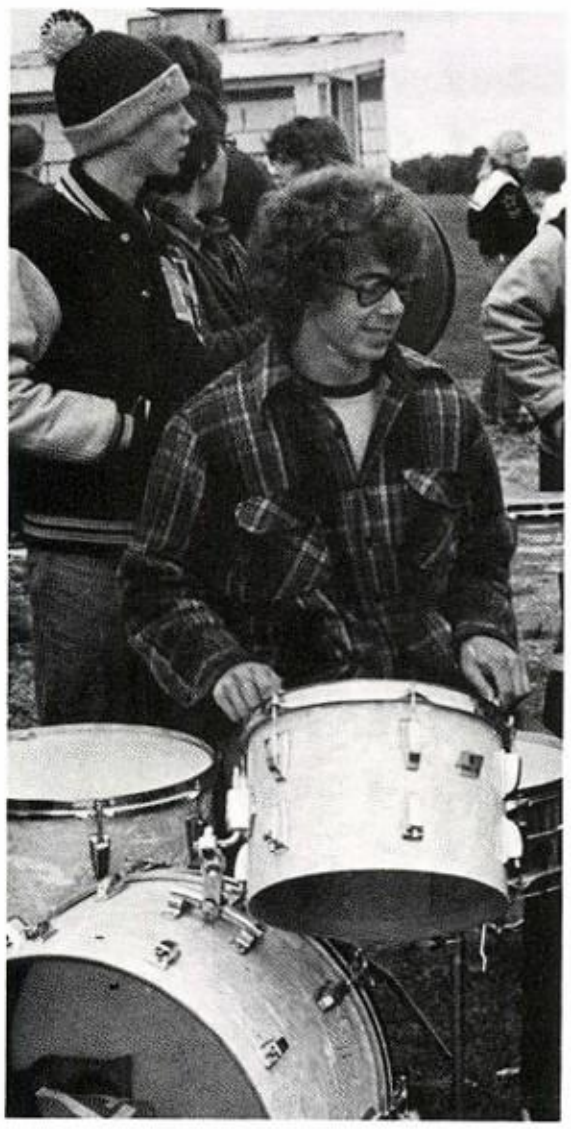

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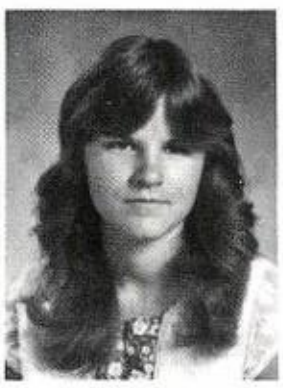

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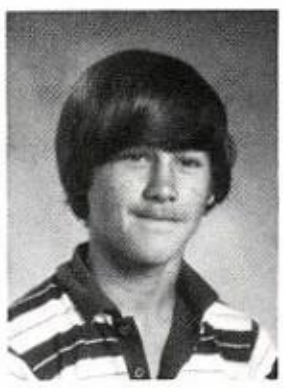

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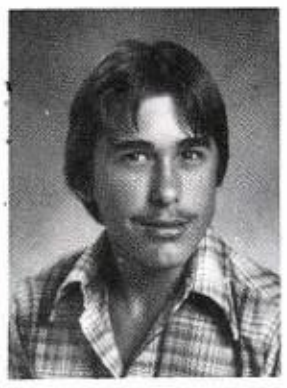

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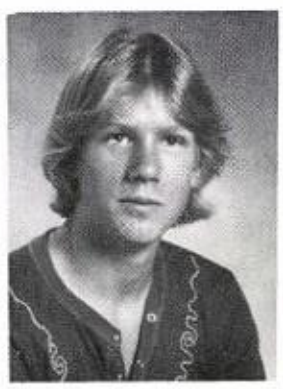

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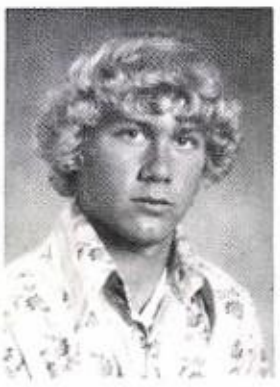

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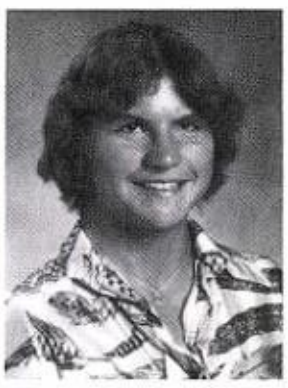

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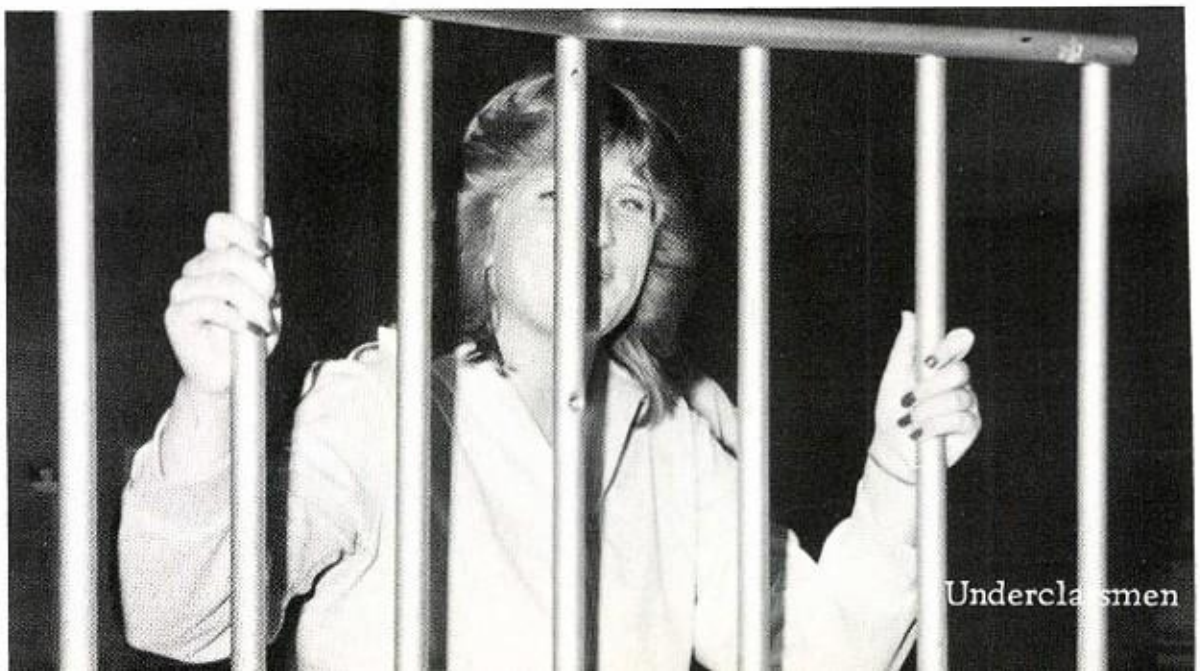

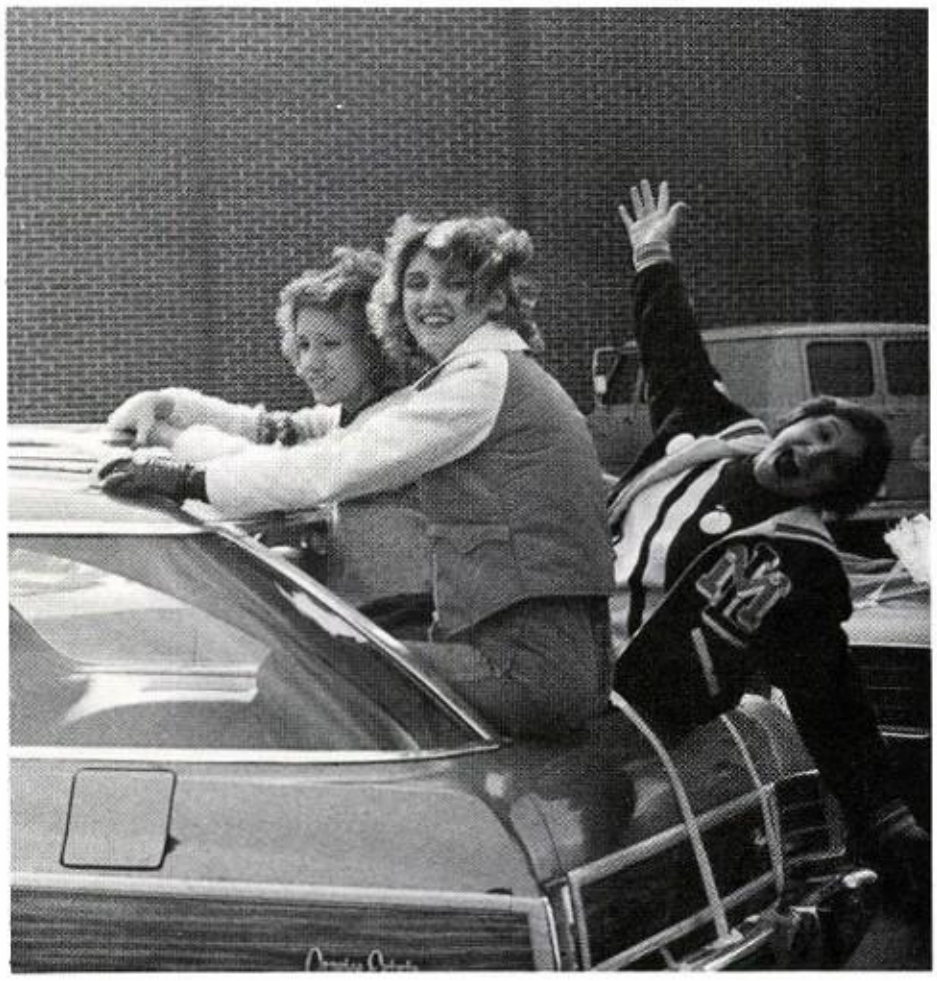

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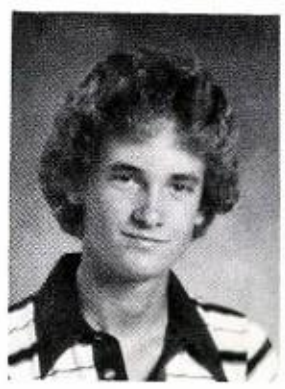

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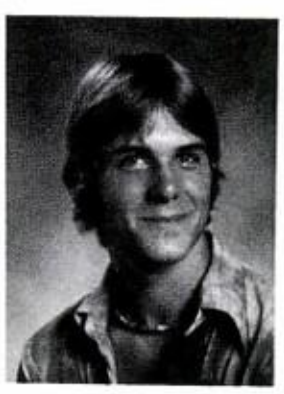

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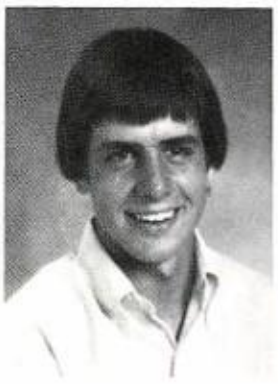

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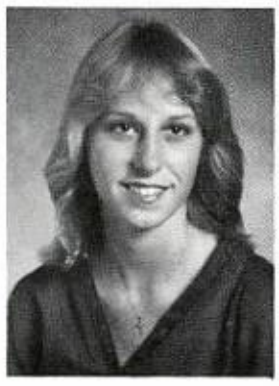

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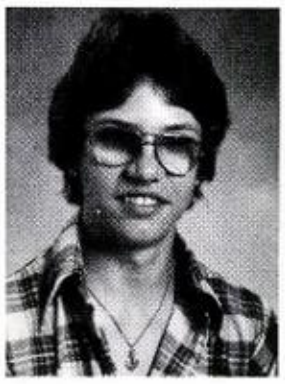

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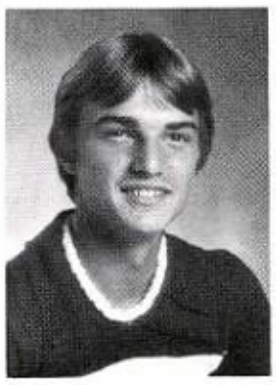

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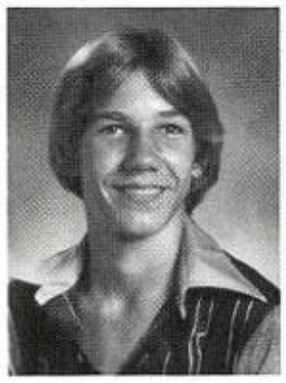

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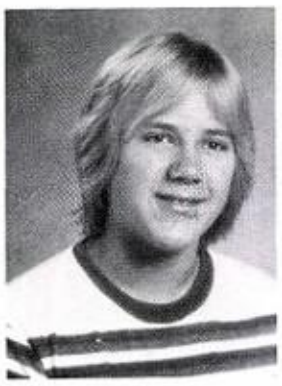

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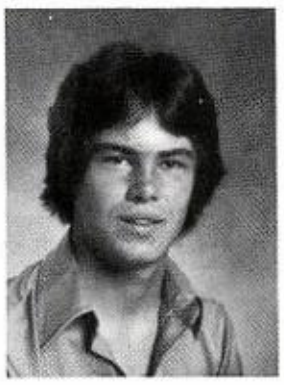

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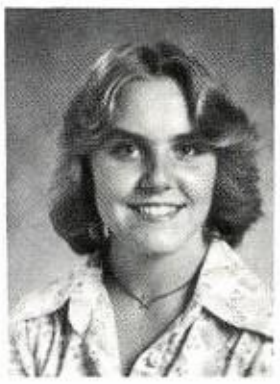

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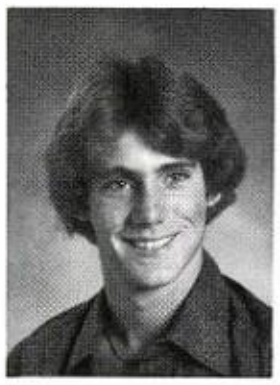

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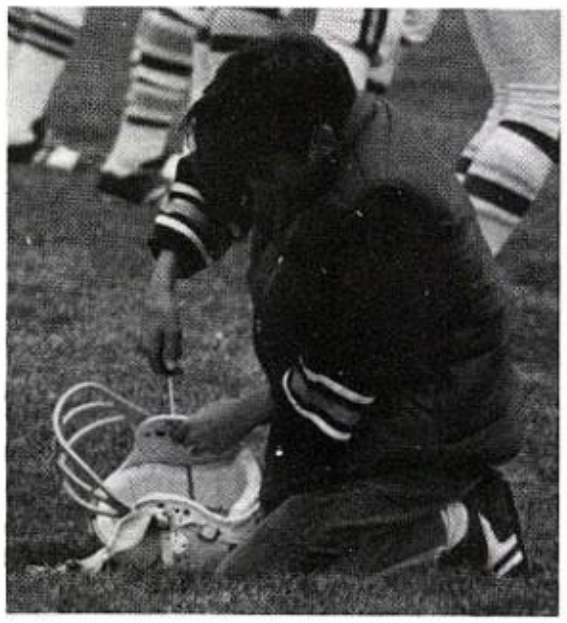

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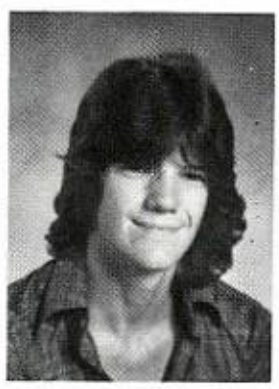

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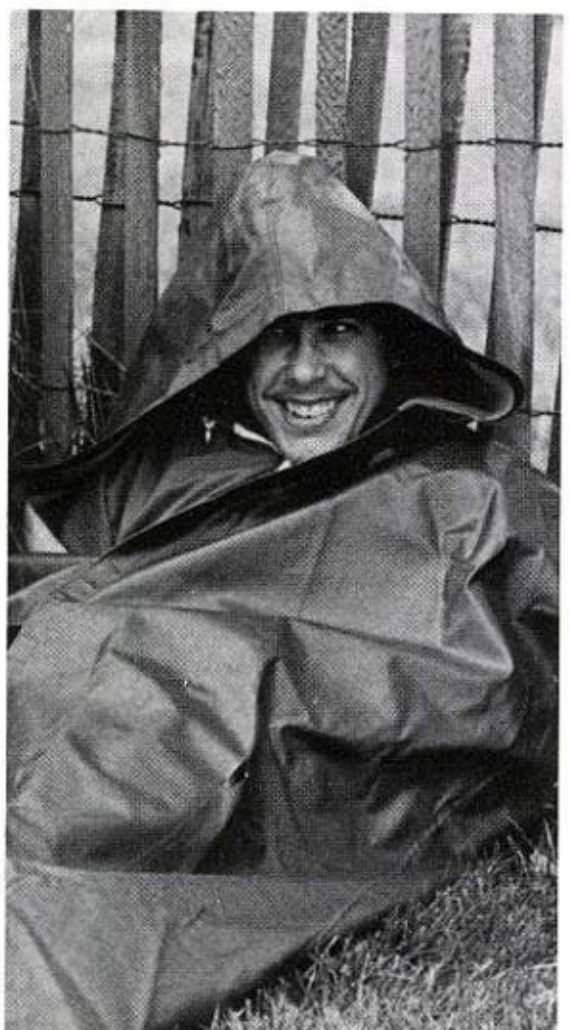

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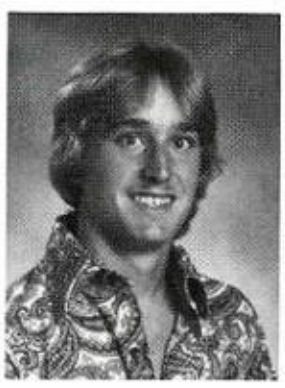

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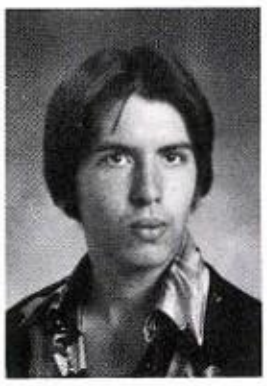

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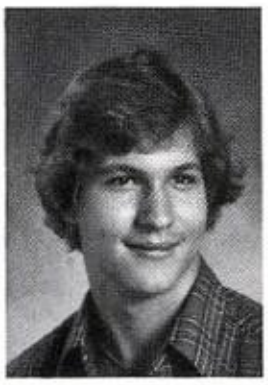

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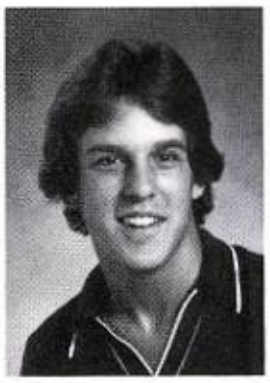

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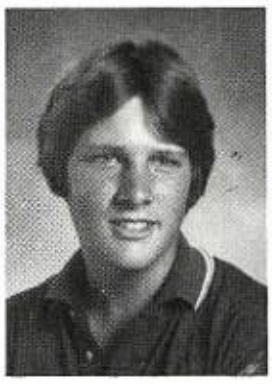

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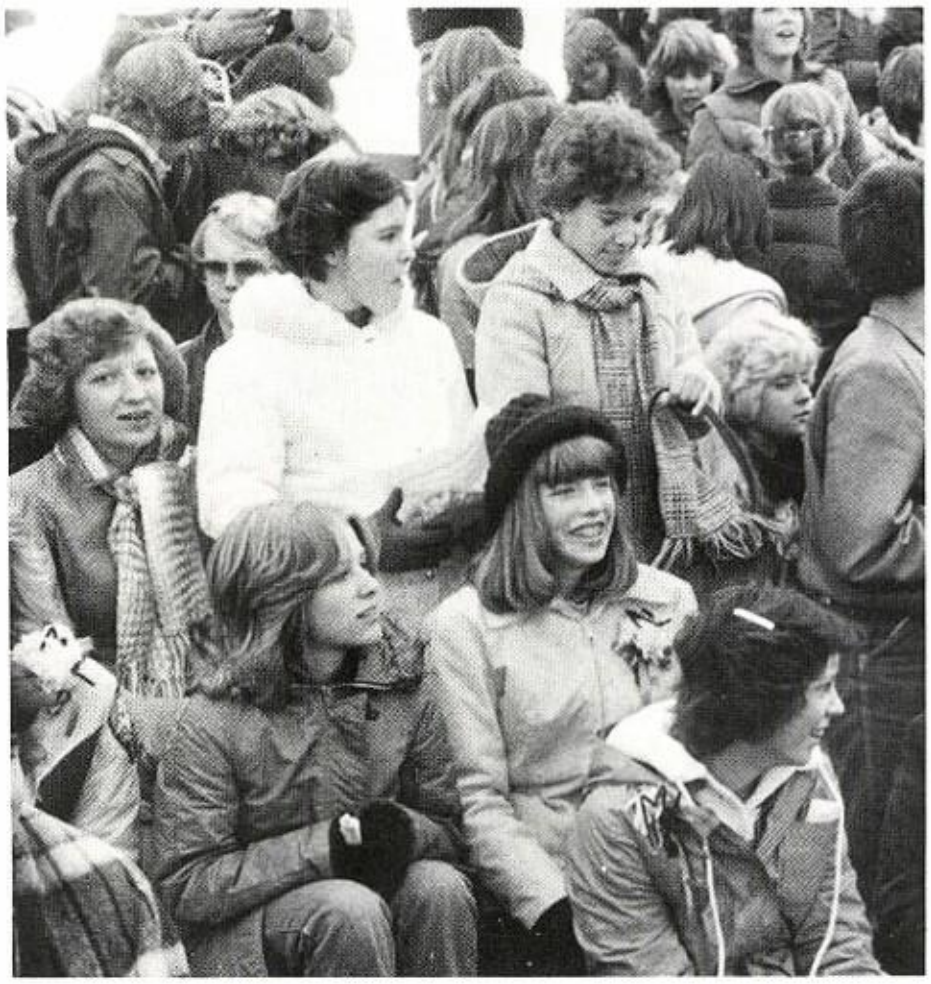

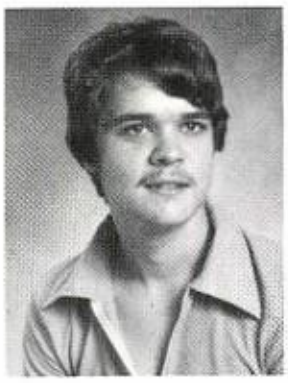

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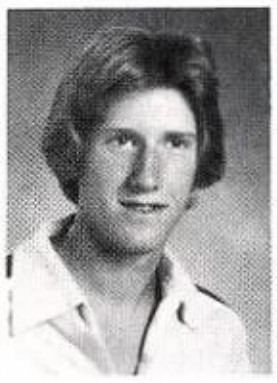

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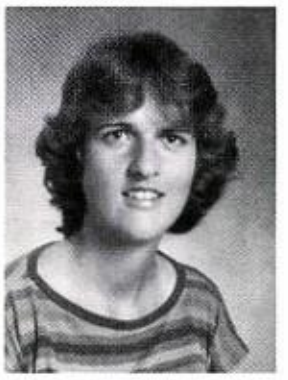

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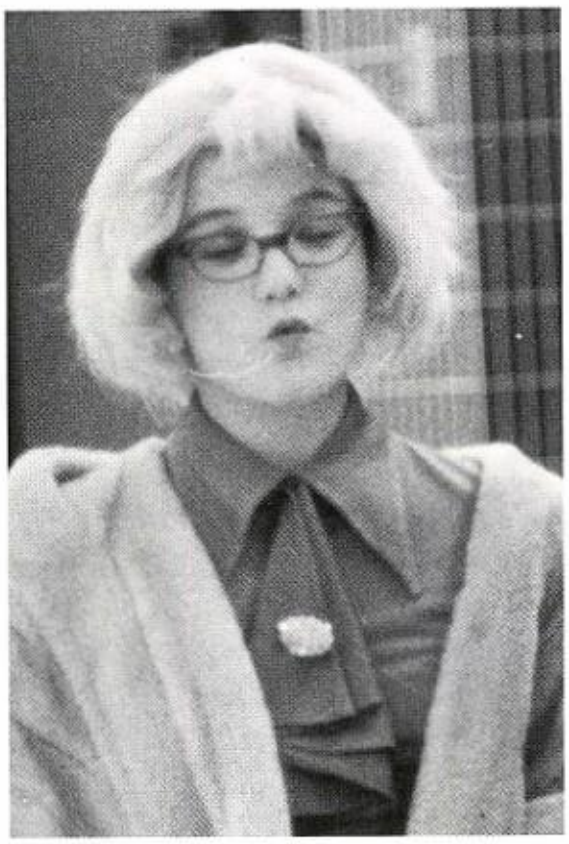

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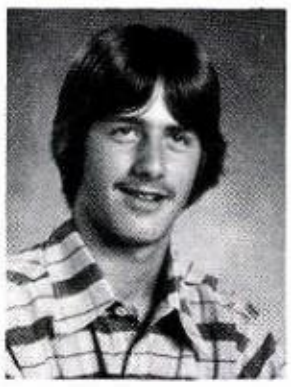

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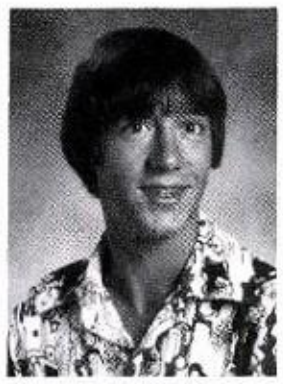

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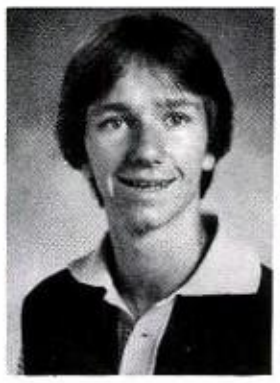

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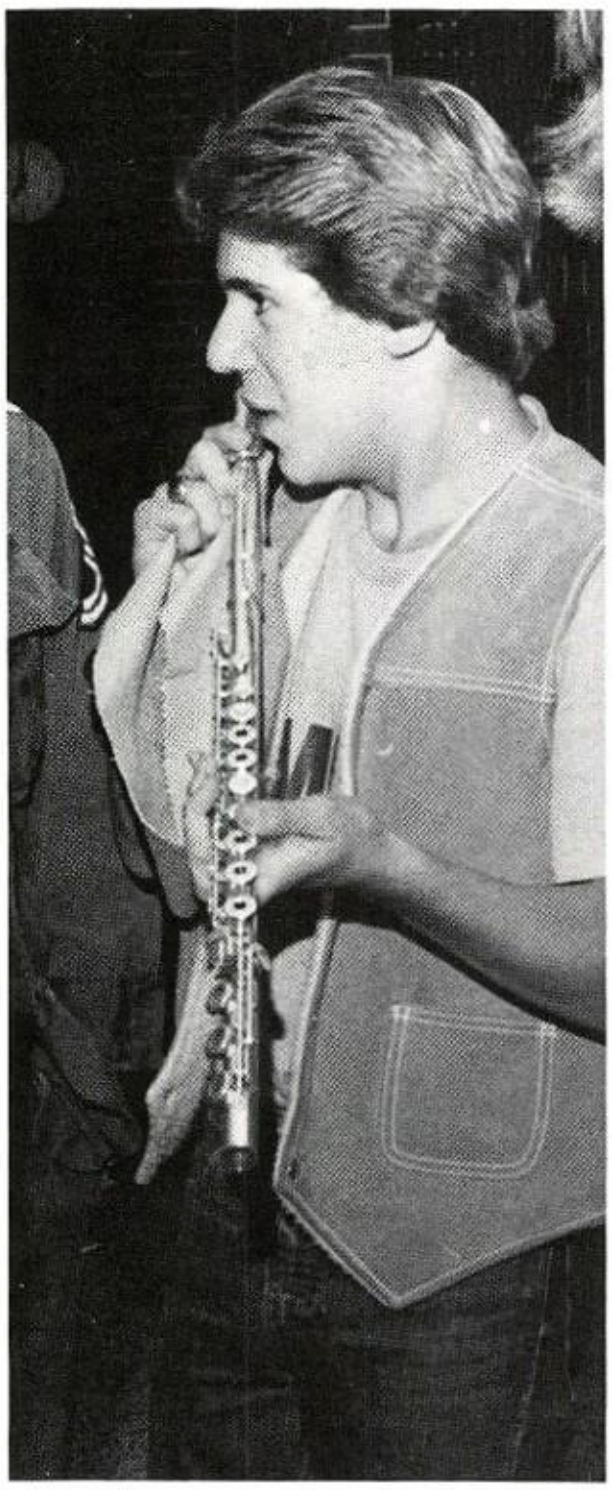

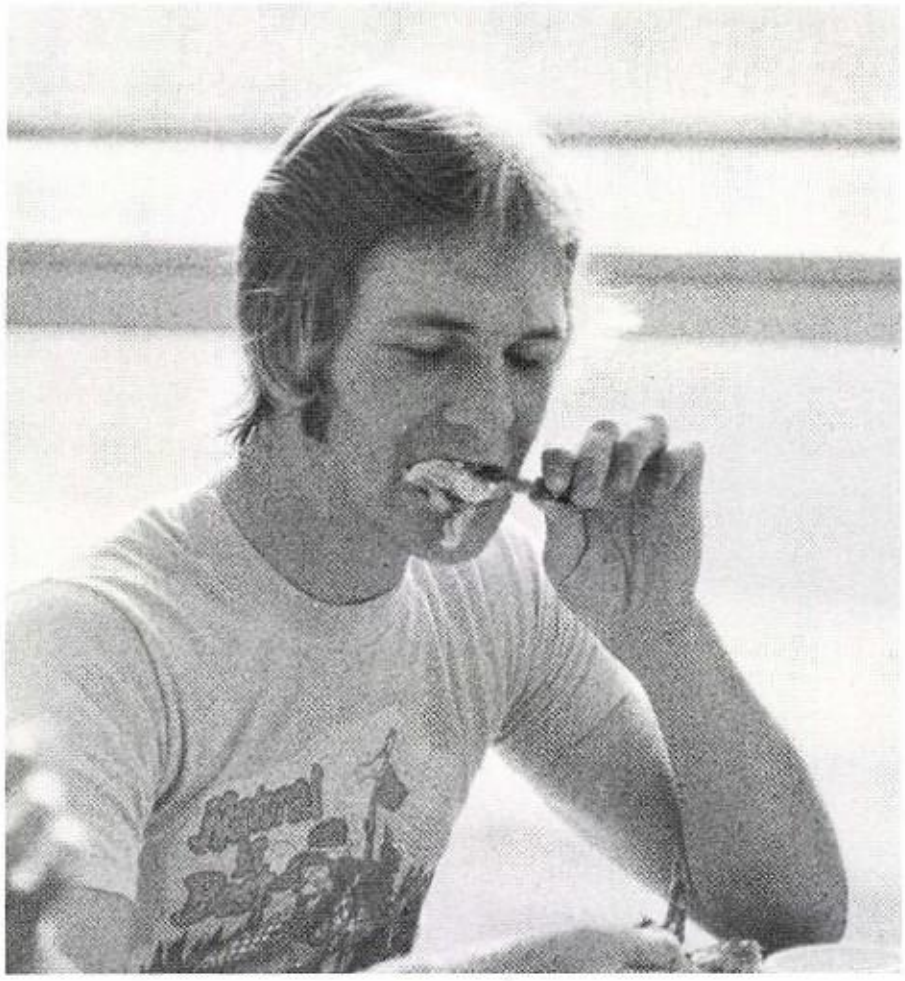

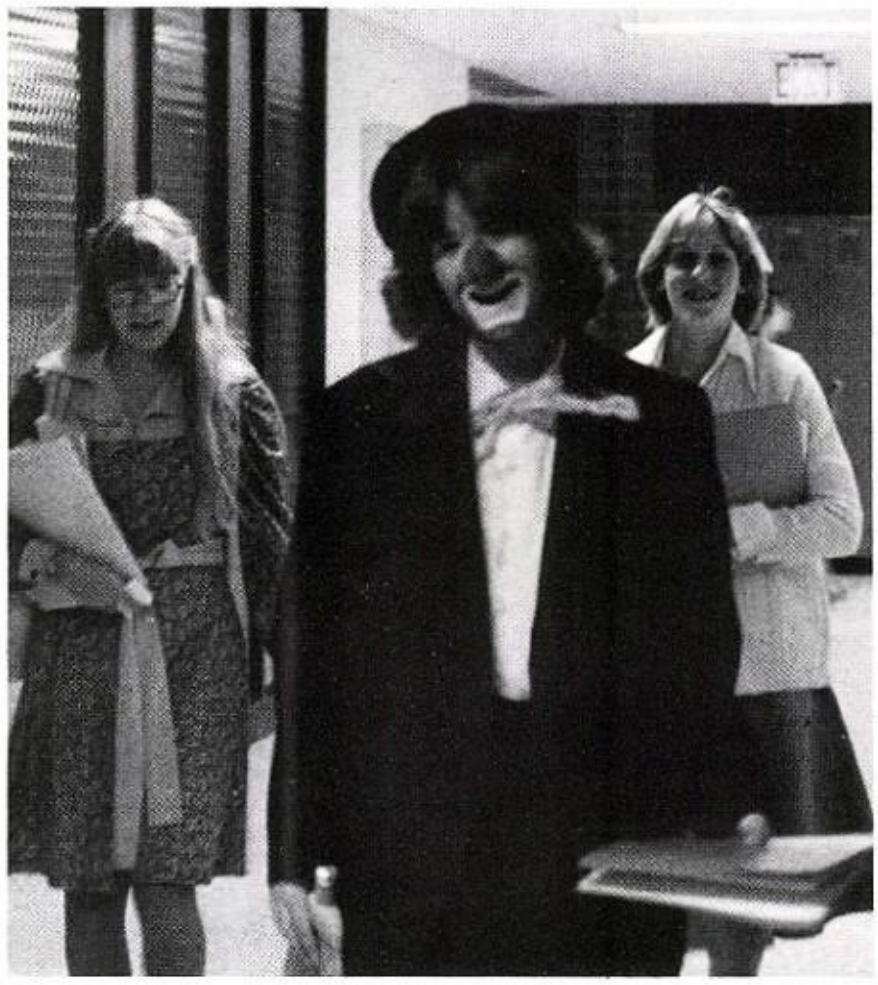

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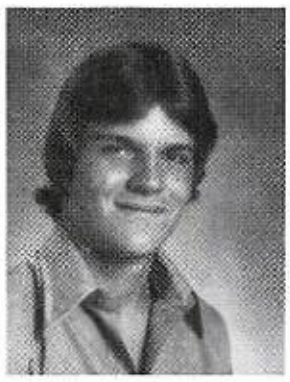

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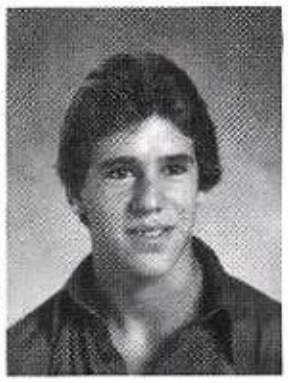

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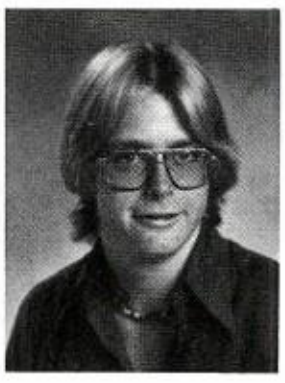

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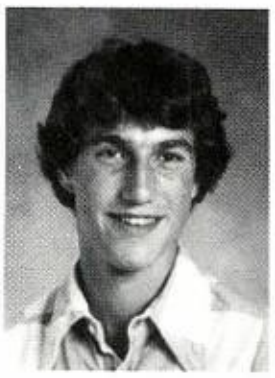

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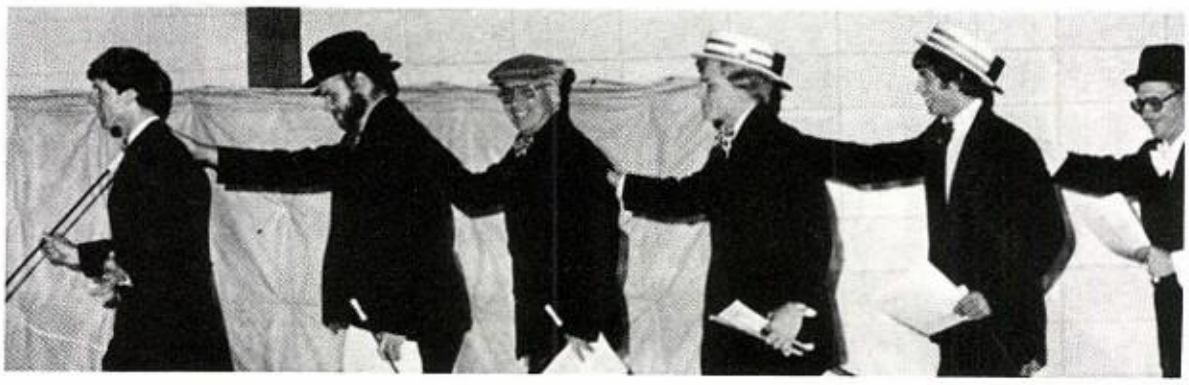

The 1979 Class Prophecy For The Graduates

DEE ADLER will be a ''casting'' director.

MELINDA AMES will direct traffic.

CHRIS BACKUS will teach tomatoes how to blush.

BECKY BAHR will run the All-Star Burping Contests for Wide World of Sports.

JIM BARNDT will fit screen-doors for submarines.

JAN BARNDT will build equipment for a flea circus.

RICK BARWA will establish a softball camp for wayward girls.

JIM BAUMGART will pilot hang-gliders for European Tours.

GAIL BERKHAHN will write a song entitled ''Swingin' in the Lane''.

DAVE BERNHARDT will work with Ralph Nader.

ED BILLYARD will brush teeth on a chicken farm.

VICKI BLAZER will be a reporter for the *New York Times.*

DIANE BLOCK will teach assertiveness training to quiet school girls.

BRAD BLUHM will give clinics on ''How to Catch Basketballs with your Mouth''.

LINDA BORES will teach Do-Do birds how to multiply.

LAURA BOYER will direct musicals.

PAUL BRANT will write a German correspondence course for distance runners.

JOHN BRUNETTE will found the UVTA, Universal Volli-Tennis Ass'n, and star as its leading player until the age of 82.

BONNIE BURGESS will sew costumes for community theater.

CATHY CHOJNACKI will become the Michelanglo of ''crowd'' painting.

BOB CHRISTIANSEN will sell left-handed monkey wrenches.

FRANK CLEPPE will wrestle alligators.

SCOTT CONSOER will write an essay on ''Ten Easy Ways to Sit in a Class Without Getting Called Upon''.

KAREN COOGAN will produce ''Veterinarian's Hospital'' for the Muppet Show.

TOM CUTTING will be a tree surgeon on the North Pole.

LAURA DAHL will hold clinics on ''How to Speak-up for Women's Rights and Knit-one, Pearl-two *all* at the same time.''

CANDY DEBBAN will design clothes for dancing bears.

HOLLY DECKER will be 1st flutist with the Denver garden club orchestra.

STEVE DEHNKE will teach a course called ''Facial Expressions,'', The Key to Serious Discussions''.

MARY DOBSON will write jokes for Phyllis Diller.

JOEL DOEPKE will sell beef substitutes to vegetarians.

MIKE DRAEGER will be a dishwasher for the Dixie Cup Co.

CHUCK DULDE will open a furniture store called ''Are You Comfortable with This?''

JILL DUSZYNSKI will be the hair stylist for concert pianists.

VERLANE ERICKSEN will be an auctioneer in Lone Wolf, New Mexico.

JOAN ESCH will teach in a school of fish.

DAVE FRANKLIN will repair Tonka Trucks.

BRAD FROEMMING will open a dance school for cowhands.

LINDA GARSKE will open a rabbit shop called Garsky and Hutch.

MIKE GILHUBER will make holes in a Swiss Cheese factory.

CHRIS GRUENEWALD run Oleg Cassini's Designer Clothes for Women-Muskego Shoppe.

JUDY HAFNER will be the first woman in charge of the Athletic Department at West Point.

SUE HANSON will run a hairstyling salon

MARK HARR will invent a foolproof way to sleep through *one* entire year of school, without getting caught.

NANCY HEISE will write a book entitled ''Carrying *All* Your Books to Every Class Can be Fun!''

ERIC HOLMBERG will sell micro-wave ovens in Harrisburg, Penn.

STEVE HORN will model boots for the lumber jacks of America.

NED HOVIE will farm in the Mojave Desert.

BOB JAEGER will be the salt man in a salted-in-the-shell peanut company.

RICH JAHNKE will star in a Broadway revival of ''The Wizard of Oz''.

MIKE KADOLPH will be a replacement on M.A.S.H.

KEVIN KAIS will manage the Brewer's Cheerleaders.

DAVE KAPHINGST will be the new Tidy-Bowl Man.

JULIE KAPHINGST will write a

book entitled ''My Life as a Malibu Barbie''.

DEAN KENNEDY will open a Hot Dog stand called ''Deanie's Weenies''.

JAN KNUTSON will be a personhole fitter.

DARYL KOHLMEYER will draw cartoons for *The Hog Caller's Gazette.*

KARA KOPAC will be the owner of a school specializing in courses teaching young ladies proper table etiquette.

BARB KRAFT will drive buses to Timbuctu.

KARYN KREBS will be the singing Pontiac in Phil Tolkan commercials.

LAURIE KRIMPELBEIN will make a fortune curling pigtails.

JIM KUCHLER will be the Head Librarian in OKLAHOMA CITY.

DAVE LADWIG will be a world-famous lecturer on Speed Talking.

LU ANN LANKE will be leading lady in the German language theater.

LOIS LANGE will star in a movie remake of ''The Taming of the Shrew'', titled, *KATE THE CRUST.*

RICHARD LESKE will perform in a rock group called WANG AND THE DIGITALS.

JEFF LOE will be a computer technologist for an abacus computer company.

STEVE LONGSTAFF will be a clothing manufacturer whose block of offices will be called ''Sleeves by Longstreet''.

DAVE LUETHY will own a haberdasher for men 5'2'' and under.

KEVIN MAJORS will become famous as ''The Man Who Knows Everything''.

BOB MAYER will save popsicle sticks and build a replica of the White House.

JULIE MEISSLER will start a chain of restaurants called ''Julie's Big Girl''.

ABBY MILLER will become internationally famous as ''The Girl With the Longest Nails''.

MONICA MISSUN will not be heard from. Apparently, she will be Missin'.

BOB MISSUN will experiment and succeed in cloning Mr. Reigles.

DWAYNE MITTAG will replace Gordon Lightfoot as Mr. Schnake's favorite composer.

JIM OTTO will write a column for school newspapers called ''How to Sleep in Class Without Really Trying''.

KATHY OTTO will be a trainer of professional chapel ushers.

WILLIE PAUTZ will be a lifetime Schooblic fan.

SCOTT PERKO will open a service station for skateboards.

TOM PIEPER will go on to own and manage a disco called ''Hello? Hello? Anybody out there?''

SANDI POTTERTON will become the new head nurse on ''Veternarian's Hospital''.

CARRIE REISS will be Junior Choir Director at Layton Park Lutheren Church.

HEIDI RESCH will live in a shoe and have *so* many children she won't know what to do!

EVELYN RETZLAFF will open a fruit stand called ''Eve's Apple''.

VAL RIEDEL will be a floral arranger at Southridge.

CAROL RISKE will dedicate her life to physics and finally discover that Mr. Sodeman was lying for all those years.

JAY SCHAEFER will write class phophecies for High School yearbooks and always turn them in late.

AILEEN SCHERER will be M.L.'s answer to Bella Abzug.

KAREN SCHOLTES will combine forces with Kara and teach classes in ''Ways to Speak Slowly and Quietly in Class''.

DAVE SCHULDT will open a cooking school for over-weight wrestlers.

JENNY SCOTT will create Pom Pon routines for flashers.

TIM SERKOWSKI will find happiness as a Tibetan Monk.

LISA SHILLING will, one day, teach the world to spell her name properly.

SHARI SIMRELL will do make-up for monster movies.

DAVE SKORZEWSKI will become an English teacher and spend the rest of his life in American Lit.

DON SMITH will be a teacher of girls who want to import Basketball talent.

RON SMITH will be a money changer of Master Charge.

BETH STACH will teach giggling to gaggles of geese.

GARY STELSE will find a cure for acute quietness.

LORI STRESSING will be the 1st woman police chief in Wisconsin.

SUE TOTH will open a shoe store called ''Susie's TWO-SHOES''.

MARK TUNKS will manufacture *Little Wonders* for musical productions.

KATIE WARTICK will be a star center for the Milwaukee Doe's.

DEAN WEIL will be a caretaker at a home for aged ballet dancers.

PAUL WESSLER will become a professional student and will attend ''The School of Jokes and Pranksters''.

JOANN WOELFFER will be Telly Savalas' hair stylist.

KATHY WULF will be the program director talk and travel for a show ''Gossips International''.

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10 windows a glass sphere, and a gate
A thought process so unique
But yet very common
Begins as stimulated legs drive one home
Mixed emotions are plenty
And mannequins more vividly - the room is
not
Large. However, one
Mind can fit snuggly into its confinements.
Hair is at a surplus today.

Wheels are balanced
And feet are colored. No one stops, never.
It murmers like me, there is a likeness
Perhaps a sharing.
One tunnel guides all, more walls are
Opened and quantities are separated always
By a very large leader.
Start here, go there, finish it out, unlock
Your mind and put it anywhere.
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